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JAPANESE CLAIM ANNIHILATION AT PAOTINGFY, CHINA

Bombers Attempt To Destroy Army Arsenal In Hangyang

NEW WARNING IS GIVEN FOREIGNERS

Instructed To Stay Away From Military Objectives In Nanking

By The Associated Press.

PEIPING, Sept. 24.—The Japanese army announced tonight that Paotingfu, Chinese stronghold 80 miles southwest of here, had been captured and its Chinese garrison annihilated.

Mopping up operations at Paotingfu were completed at 1:30 p. m., the Japanese announced. All residents in the city, capital of Hopeh province and key point of the Chinese defense system in central Hopeh, was declared at an end.

Early today the Japanese had completely enveloped the walled city, containing a population of 100,000.

As the Chinese troops attempted to flee they were slain, said Japanese dispatches.

No figures of casualties were given, but it was strongly indicated there were no survivors.

The fall of Paotingfu was the climax of a Japanese offensive which had rolled relentlessly southward since the crossing of the Yangting river, 30 miles from here, Sept. 15.

By JAMES A. MILLS

SHANGHAI, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Nine Japanese planes today bombed Hankow, the great port of the middle Yangtze river valley, killing approximately 100 persons and wounding twice as many.

The raiders, apparently trying to destroy the big army arsenal in Hanyang, dropped three large bombs on crowded city districts, two in the river near the British gunboat Aphis and others in the surrounding country. About 100 buildings were damaged.

Hankow is 600 miles up the Yangtze from Shanghai. Hanyang is separated from the main city by the Han river. These two cities, with Wuchang, across the Yangtze, make up the Wuhan cities, greatest commercial and industrial community of Central China.

In Shanghai, the worst cholera epidemic in the city's history was reported spreading through Japanese army units attacking Chinese defense lines to the northwest.

About 200 Japanese troops were said to have died of the dread plague in the Paoshan sector, 20 miles northwest of Shanghai, on the extreme northwestern flank of the battle front.

An additional 300 have been definitely established to have the disease.

Fierce Three Day Battle

Chinese military authorities reported that a fierce three-day battle at Lotie, just a few miles toward Shanghai from Paoshan had wiped out five of the six battalions in the Japanese Takashi detachment.

The Japanese detachment lost more than 400 men and huge stores of arms and ammunition in the single night of September 21, the Chinese declared.

Japanese naval authorities today again warned all Americans and other foreigners in Nanking to stay clear of the military objectives which they said Japanese warplanes would continue to bomb.

They declared that the Japanese general staff had decided the bombardment of Nanking was "the quickest way to end hostilities," and expressed amazement at reports in foreign newspapers that many Chinese civilians had been killed in the series of 12 airraids on the Chinese capital.

"We cannot understand these reports," a spokesman said, "because Nanking is well-equipped against air attacks and warnings were issued to the public beforehand."

The renewed warning was made while the Japanese government in Tokyo was drafting a reply to a strong American protest against unrestricted bombardment of the civilian areas in Nanking. Other representations were lodged by Britain, Russia, France, Germany and Italy.

"We believe foreign observers will sustain our claim we only bombarded military objectives," the Japanese naval spokesman said, "and we also believe foreign observers will confirm that our bombing was accurate."

Nanking Spared Today

Nanking was again spared bombardment today, the second since Japanese air raiders have appeared over the capital, but the southern metropolis of Canton was bombed during the early morning. Some 2,000 civilians were killed there during the last two days.

A few machines flew over Canton

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PRISON WARDEN DIES OF WOUNDS

By The Associated Press.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 24.—Warden C. A. Larkin, 46, of Folsom prison, died at 1:05 a. m. today at Sutter hospital of infection from stab wounds he received in last Sunday's riot at the penitentiary.

He was the fourth victim of the riot, for which five surviving convicts are under indictment for murder. Two convicts and a guard, were killed in the futile escape attempt.

Captain of the guard W. J. Ryan, also stabbed by convict knives, was reported to have recovered sufficiently to be removed from an oxygen tent.

Three convicts are still in the prison hospital, two of them in serious condition.

HOMES AT OSAGE FARMS NEAR READY FOR OCCUPANCY

Work on Project Near Hughesville Is Moving at Increased Speed

Officials of the Farm Security Administration made an all-day inspection of the Osage Farms Project under construction in North Pettis County Thursday, with Congressman Reuben T. Wood as a guest.

The party besides Mr. Wood consisted of R. C. Smith, Regional Director; P. G. Beck, Assistant Regional Director, both of Indianapolis, Indiana; Captain E. H. Crouch, Sector Engineer, Washington, D. C.; H. E. Wall, Area Engineer, Indianapolis, Indiana; Dr. C. H. Hammer and Prof. O. T. Coleman of the University of Missouri; John F. Nicholson, State Rehabilitation Director; Eugene Brasfield, District Rehabilitation Supervisor; Oscar De Wolf, Local Rehabilitation Supervisor; M. S. Layton, Resident Engineer; R. J. Nedved, Chief Architectural and Engineering Section and Arthur Kinkade, Consulting Engineer.

The engineers estimate that the entire project is 75 per cent complete. The homes are all about ready for occupancy on the nine-family co-operative farm and the big dairy barn is nearing completion.

R. A. Schondelmeyer, of Houstonia, Missouri, has closed a contract to purchase the farm formerly owned by Rolla Bobbett and is taking possession at once.

R. S. Miner, who came to Osage Farms the past spring has purchased Unit Number Seven, 40 acres of which was the Henderson farm.

R. W. Lemmons, now living in the Cartwright neighborhood has purchased the MacChesney eighty acres and construction of the new improvements will be started soon.

Three other local farmers will sign purchase contracts covering other farms as soon as the title is acquired to those farms. No additional farms will be offered for purchase contract at this time.

Mr. E. M. Copeland, Family Selection Specialist, is devoting full time to interviewing families of other government projects who are eligible for resettlement and this work is being pushed at top speed because a number of individual units are to be offered for acceptance for use by the construction division in October and early November and as many units are desired to be occupied before winter begins, as is possible.

Effort is being concentrated on the Cartwright development now and completion is contemplated in early December.

Work on existing buildings is to be undertaken some time during October and is scheduled for completion by early January.

STARKEY NAMED PARLEY DELEGATE

JEFFERSON CITY, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Dr. C. C. Selechman, president of Southern Methodist University, Dallas, paid high tribute to the "Great Christian influence" of Central College, Fayette, at the session of the Southwest Missouri conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, here last night.

A graduate of the Fayette college, Dr. Selechman told of Central men he had met on a round-the-world trip and said:

"Central College alumni literally girdle the world with their leadership."

The Central A Cappella choir presented a concert.

Four clerical delegates to the general conference of the church in Birmingham, Ala., next year were elected late today. They were the Rev. L. N. Starkey, Sedalia; the Rev. H. H. Luetzow, Marshall; the Rev. J. D. Robbins, Springfield; and the Rev. W. L. Perryman, Independence, Mo.

Broke Into Park Stand

The soft drink stand at Liberty Park was broken into Thursday night but nothing was taken.

MOST GOOD TO BIGGEST NUMBER PRESIDENT'S AIM

Such Is The Assertion of Roosevelt In Address at Cheyenne

TRIP TO KEEP TOUCH WITH THE NATION

On Tour To Look at Many Types of Projects in West

By D. HAROLD OLIVER

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Sept. 24.—President Roosevelt told a crowd of thousands here today he was going to continue in his second term the way he had in his first, trying to do the "most good for the greatest number."

After being welcomed by a group including Sentor O'Mahoney, Democratic foe of the Roosevelt supreme court proposal, the President declared he had told a friend recently who advised him to "coast" from now on that he would not take such advice.

"I don't want to coast and the nation doesn't want me to coast with my feet upon the front wheels," he said.

People are thinking in national terms, he asserted, adding the administraiton projects up to date have had the national point of view in mind.

"Not Going Broke"

"Don't let anybody deceive you, the government of the United States is not going broke," he said.

Senator O'Mahoney was in the welcoming committee with Gov. Leslie Miller, Senator H. H. Schwartz of Casper, a court bill proponent, and Rep. Paul Greever of Cody.

O'Mahoney, although he was not formally invited to board the President's special, boarded the chief executive's private car as the train pulled out. During the President's talk he had stood at the rear of the train in the crowd, as did Senator Schwartz and Congressman Greever.

O'Mahoney told newsmen that when he greted the President inside the car they said to each other: "You're looking fine."

"There was no time to say anything except hello," O'Mahoney added.

O'Mahoney also chatted with

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IS ARRESTED ON A CHARGE OF THEFT

Everett Fox accused of theft was arrested by Officers Fischer and O'Brien late this afternoon and placed in the county jail.

J. R. Black, a bachelor, living north of Smithton, reported to the police that articles have been taken from his home for some time. This afternoon, returning home he saw a truck leaving the house. In company with H. S. Cox he followed the truck until it reached Sedalia. He reported the incident to Chief O'Brien.

Officers Fischer and O'Brien later found the truck and arrested Fox who has been identified according to the officers as the intruder.

WILL OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING ON SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cartwright, well known Pettis county residents on North Highway 65, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Sunday. Friends are invited to attend the celebration from 2 to 6 p. m.

LOSES LIFE NEAR WHERE HIS PARENTS WERE KILLED

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 24.—At nearly the same spot his parents were killed in an automobile accident a year ago, Harry Buxton, 40, of Afton, Mo., lost his life last night when his car left highway 30 in St. Louis county and crashed into a telephone pole.

EARLY SCORES IN THE BIG LEAGUES

American League.

New York ....000 000 104—5 8 0
Boston ....000 000 100—1 7 1

Vance, Andrews and Glenn; McKain, Wilson and Peacock and Berg.

Home run: Cronin. 7th.

Detroit 000 0
Cleveland 000 0

Wade and York; Galehouse and Pytlak.

Only games scheduled.

National League.

Pittsburgh 010 0
Cincinnati 020 0

Bauers and Todd; Schott and Lombardi.

Chicago ....
St. Louis ....

Bryant and Hartnett; Weiland and Ogrowdski.

Only games scheduled.

BITTER COMPLAINT ON CUTTING TREES

Bitter complaint has been received by the Police Department of the ruthless cutting down of young trees in the parkways between the sidewalks and curbs in front of residences on West Seventh street, Stewart avenue, and Dal-Whi-Mo Court. These acts are attributed to older boys or young men and seem to be malicious rather than mischievous. The Police Department is incensed over these reprehensible acts and the property owners heart-sick over the loss of valuable trees which they have nurtured all through the dry seasons.

If there are parents who have older boys or young men in their families who think that there is a possibility that these boys or young men would participate in such acts, they should caution them immediately for if they are apprehended by the police, they will be handled to the full extent of the law.

In one instance, a well-known Sedalia family secured two splendid young hard maple trees, planted them in front of their home, watering them by hand through the dry seasons until they were flourishing nicely, suffered the loss of both of them last night, and when they saw what had happened this morning they were almost in tears at the loss.

If any citizen of the town knows of any clue, or clues, through which the miscreants may be apprehended, they should report it to the police at once.

GENEROUS RAIN FALLS IN PETTIS COUNTY TODAY

Pastures Benefitted and Ground Moistened For Plowing For Wheat

The first rain of sufficient consequence to really wet the parched earth in this section fell between midnight and this afternoon when liberal showers brought precipitation that measured 2.23 inches.

The rain was accompanied by a heat breaking cool wave that came with cooler breezes Thursday evening.

The downpour will be of great help to seared pasture lands and late forage crops and will be of benefit in putting the ground in condition for plowing and drilling in the fall seeding of wheat frields.

Farmers were made happy by the moisture that the thirsty soil absorbed readily and while this area was more fortunate than many others showers fell in the northwest portion of the state, but early reports indicated they were insufficient to break the drought there.

Locally the rain was the first since light showers the early part of September when it measured but .07 of an inch.

Various rain reports included: .07 of an inch at Lexington, .54 at Clinton, .51 at Harrisonville, .53 at Maryville. The additional rains today may send these sections over the 1-inch mark.

Temperatures yesterday generally were above 90 degrees. The cold front of a Canadian high pressure area, however, already had pushed into northwest Missouri this morning. Temperatures were slightly below freezing in portions of Montana and Wyoming, with several points reporting snow.

MORE AGGRESSIVE STRIDE TO TRADE

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Most divisions of trade displayed a more aggressive stride this week, with quickening retail distribution the outstanding feature, Dun and Bradstreet said today in the weekly review of business.

Retail sales for the country as a whole were estimated at from 3 to 7 per cent ahead of the preceding week and from 8 to 22 per cent better than in the comparable 1936 period.

DRYS WIN ELECTION IN TENNESSEE

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 24.—Tennessee drys acclaimed today their 2 to 1 victory in yesterday's prohibition referendum and planned an attack on legalized beer while wets insisted the advisory balloting was a "meaningless farce."

Prohibitionits saw a great "moral victory" in the results and announced they would move shortly for repeal of a statute that permits 5 per cent beer. The state is one of five whose anti-whiskey laws have survived repeal of national prohibition.

Wets noted, however, that the total vote apparently would run nearly 100,000 below that cast in 1933 when the state ratified national repeal, and claimed the issue ultimately would have to be settled on a local option basis.

With 1,723 precincts reported out of 2,160 in the state, the count stood:

For repeal, 38,200; against repeal, 99,735. The dry majority was 61,713. Approximately 500,000 were qualified to vote.

In the 1933 election Tennessee voted 126,942 to 120,107 for repeal of the eighteenth amendment.

Reports Chickens Stolen

P. E. Elliott, 233 East Boonville street reported to the police this morning the theft of five chickens some time Thursday night. Police made an investigation.

Marriage License Issued

Richard Virgil Lambert of Houstonia and Ruth Keller of La Monte.

UPHOLDS STATE GAS TAX HIKE IN JUDGES MEETING

W. P. A. Administrator Urges Retention of Extra Cent Levy

JEFFERSON CITY, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Matthew S. Murray, state WPA administrator, urged retention of the extra 1-cent gasoline tax at the afternoon session of the Missouri County judges' association here Thureday.

The penny increase, voted by the last legislature to go into effect Dec. 7, 1938, will be submitted to a referendum in the 1938 general election. Murray said:

"I believe those who use our roads should pay for them in proportion to the amount they use them. The gas tax is a just tax."

The administrator asserted that the WPA had built 8,500 miles of farm-to-market roads in Missouri and was building 7,500 more.

The peak of WPA employment in the state was passed last November with 102,000 on the rolls, Murray said. There are now 49,600 enrolled.

Missouri is receiving in federal funds $47 per man per month to pay the 49,600 workers and $5 per man per month for all other expenses of projects including materials, Murray pointed out. The latter figure was formerly $13.50.

Other speakers at the session were C. E. Taylor, assistant attorney general; W. A. Holloway, chief clerk in the state auditor's office, who led a discussion of the county budget law; and State Senator Jess D. Sexton, Lawson, chairman of the senate county courts committee.

United States Senator Harry S. Truman, scheduled to speak today, was unable to attend.

More than 300 persons attended the association's annual banquet tonight. The convention closes tomorrow afternoon.

BOOK STORE BURGLARIZED ON THURSDAY NIGHT

P. V. Scotten, operator of Scotten's Book Store at 712 South Ohio venue, reported to the police this morning that the store was broken into some time Thursday night. Entrance was gained through a window.

Some cigarettes, gum, mills and a small amount of cash were taken.

An investigation was made by the police.

Official Fall Season Opening Tonight For Sedalia Stores

The Smith-Cotton high school band will appear on the downtown streets tonight starting at 7 o'clock to take part in the Sedalia merchants official Opening of the Fall Season.

Registrations in the various stores participating to vote for the favorite city and rural communities organization started at 12 o'clock noon and will continue until closing time tonight at 9 o'clock p. m. The cash prize money totaling $70 appears an attractive sum to the members of city and rural organizations, which with practically no effort other than to visit the stores and vote free of charge, at least four of the organizations will have more money in their treasures after the counting of the votes Saturday. The winners will be announced in the Sunday morning Democrat and Capital.

Impartial judges will visit the business district tonight to view the fall window displays by the stores participating. Three grand prizes of cash money will be made to the three most outstanding stores and honorary awards are to be made on various store classifications of fall merchandise on display. These awards will also be announced along with the winners of the Favorite Organization Contest in Sunday morning's newspapers.

The Sedalia merchants were most cheerful early Friday morning as they interpreted the fall of rain as a better attendance for the Fall Opening event tonight, as well as being rain that would be most beneficial to the crops in this section of the state.

RECOGNITION TO ANY TERRITORIAL CLAIMS UNLIKELY

United States Expected To Adhere To Established Policy

VIEWS OF OBSERVERS ON JAPAN'S ACTIVITY

Chinese Leader States This Country Obligated By Treaties

By STANLEY P. RICHARDSON

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Whatever the outcome of the undeclared Sino-Japanese war, the United States will not recognize any new Japanese territorial claims in China if it adheres to its established foreign policies.

This was stressed today by informed observers, who recalled that the government has withheld formal diplomatic recognition of both the Japanese-dominated state of Manchoukuo and Italian-annexed Ethiopia because they were acquired by force.

These observers said that if Japan's present military operations result in seizure of control of new spheres in China, there is good reason to believe they will be given similar treatment.

The principle of denying acknowledgement of such states as members of the family of nations has been followed consistently by the United States since it first was proclaimed in 1915 by William Jennings Bryan then secretary of state.

Bryan sought to forestall interference with American rights in China, threatened by Japan's aggressive 21 demands on the Chinese government.

Whether his warning was responsible, Japan never pressed its demands.

Secretary Henry L. Stimson elaborated on the doctrine in a subsequent crisis in Chinese-Japanese relations. It later was adopted by the League of Nations.

After an unsuccessful attempt to call Japan to account for its Manchurian conquest under the Kellogg-Briand anti-war pact and the nine power treaty guaranteeing China's territorial integrity, Stimson served formal notice on Japan January 7, 1932 that the American government:

"Does not intend to recognize any situation, treaty or agreement which may be brought about by means contrary to the covenants and obligations of the (Kellogg) pact of Paris of August 27, 1928, to which treaty both China and Japan, as well as the United States are parties."

The same principle has been applied to the Italian conquest of Ethiopia, although unlike the case of Manchoukuo, the United States

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ASIATIC FLEET STAY IN CHINESE WATERS

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The United States navy served formal notice today that its Asiatic fleet will remain in Chinese waters "as long as the present controversy between China and Japan exists."

This statement was issued by the navy department as a formal announcement of Admiral Harry E. Yarnell, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic squadrons.

It was made public after a meeting of the navy general board, the highest policy making body of the navy department. Presumably it had the full support of the state department.

The admiral's announcement said that the navy's policy of maintaining warships at ports, where needed for the protection of American nationals "will continue in full force even after our nationals have been warned to leave China and after an opportunity to leave has been given."

ACCEPTS DEFEAT IN STARK APPOINTMENT

A telegram was sent to Governor Lloyd C. Stark, Thursday by James P. Higgins of near Houstonia, who was one of the three candidates for county treasurer, regarding the appointment of Mrs. Louise Orear, who was named Wednesday by Governor Stark for the office.

The message read: "Governor Lloyd C. Stark, Jefferson City, Mo., Sorry I was not appointed treasurer of Pettis county, but I accept your appointment of Mrs. Orear with good grace and assure you there is no resentment on the part of my friends and supporters. There is not a more genteel or refined lady in Pettis county than Mrs. Orear. She is well qualified to fill the duties of the office and has been a leader in Democratic affairs for many years. Signed James P. Higgins."

The name of Mrs. Orear, that of Mr. Higgins and Karl S. Wimer were submitted to Governor Stark for his approval.

RESIGNATION OF FARLEY DELAYED

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—James A. Farley's resignation as postmaster general and his acceptance of the presidency of the Pierce-Arrow Motor Corporation, it was understoood in informed circles today, has been delayed by the current decline in securities and the preparation of a statement for a new issue of Pierce-Arrow stock.

So far as can be learned, no definite time has been set for either the filing of the regislation statement or the cabinet resignation.

It was understood Farley's resignation, when it does come, will be announced by President Roosevelt.

DENIES REPORT YACHT LOCATED NEAR THE AZORES

Captain of British Tanker Reports He Had Not Seen Ship

LONDON, Sept. 24.—(Friday)—(AP)—Fresh mystery enveloped the fate of the British yacht Endeavour I when a report reached London early this morning that the captain of the British tanker Amastra had denied an earlier report he had sighted the missing yacht near the Azores.

Underwriters at Lloyds, who had heard the report of the yacht's safety with the sounding of the historic Lutine bell, had gone home joyfully and the city was shrouded in darkness when the radio message arrived from the tanker's captain saying that he'd seen and heard nothing of the Endeavour and that he "gravely deplored" the original statement.

T. O. M. Sopwirth, owner of the Endeavour I when it challenged for the the America's cup three years ago, expressed himself as "very relieved but by no means surprised" when told the yacht had been reported safe. He had retired when the Amastra's denial reached London. He slept unaware of the second message which is likely to transform England's relief into renewed anxiety.

Todlesbury, the fishing village where almost half of the Endeavour's crew live, had retired happily to bed after an evening of celebration. The villagers were not aware of the denial from the Amastra's master.

An official at Lloyds stated that the organization had no reason to doubt the original message from an agent in the Azores, although there had been no confirmation from any other source. He said he was greatly surprised to receive the radio from the Amastra's master after the news of the Endeavour's safety already had been formally announced to underwriters.

HIGH OFFICER OF INSURGENTS KILLED

MADRID, Sept. 24.—(AP)—A Spanish government communique declared last night that a heavy artillery bombardment of Insurgent-held Toledo, 50 miles south of here, destroyed an important Insurgent munitions factory and critically injured General Jose Varela, one of the Insurgents' highest-ranking commanders.

Fire was said to have wrecked the factory after government batteries poured more than 1,000 shells into the group of buildings composing it, in a five-hour assault.

Insurgent besiegers of Madrid exchanged artillery fire with defense batteries in the western section of the city.

General Varela was reported to have suffered three wounds, one serious, when a government shell exploded near his position at Toledo.

The destruction of the factory was believed to have deprived the Insurgents of their main source of ammunition on the central front.

Military observers here predicted another long, bitter winter's fighting barring international developments that might end the 14-month-old civil war off the battlefield.

They expressed belief that the recent inactivity of the Insurgent armies on all fronts except the northwest indicates another big offensive is planned for the near future.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH TO HONOR REV. WILLETT

The First Baptist church will give a reception tonight for Rev. Dwight Willett, and family, who recently resigned as pastor of the church to accept the pastorship of the Baptist church in Erwin, Tenn. The reception will be in the church auditorium and will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

There will be several musical numbers and talks by officers of the different departments of the church, following which will be a social for members of the church and friends of Rev. Willett's family.

ITALY TO STOP ENLISTING FOR THE INSURGENTS

Great Britain To Discuss Intervention Problem In Japan

FRANCE TO HAVE PART IN PARLEY

Mussolini and Hitler Plan Appeals For World Peace

By The Associated Press.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—Britain is ready to discuss with France and Italy the problem of intervention in Spain's civil war, the decision following close upon Italy's apparent willingness to ban further volunteering enlistments in the insurgent army.

An authoritative source asserted today Premier Mussolini had promised Britain and France he would send no more "volunteers" to Spain, making possible Italian entrance in the Anglo-French diplomatic front and a new balance of power for Europe.

While Britain and France were keenly anxious to accept Italy's advances at face value they could not help but look for a possible snag. A definite feeling of optimism prevailed in foreign office circles but it was tempered by a slight suspicion of Il Duce's motives in presenting such a startling assurance regarding Spain.

His sudden willingness to promise that no further troops should be sent to aid the Spanish insurgents—coming on the eve of his departure for an important conference with Chancellor Hitler of Germany—caused many observers to wonder whether Italy was preparing some new and surprising move.

Some British observers—and Rome dispatches bore this out—were frankly considering Mussolini's gestures of cooperation with France and England as a method of strengthening his position to drive a harder bargain with Hitler.

Definite Promise.

The authoritative British source said that Italy had given both Britain and France a definite promise no more Italian troops would go to Spain if the three powers could agree, among other things, on Italian demands for parity with Britain and France in the Mediterranean anti-piracy accord reached at Nyon.

This agreement was expected to be reached without difficulty in technical talks in Paris next week among experts of the three countries.

Bova Scoppa, the Italian minister to Switzerland, was said to have made the Italian promise to French Foreign Minister Yvon Delbos at Geneva Wednesday in one of the most momentous diplomatic conferences in recent years.

Reliable sources said that Count Galeazzo Ciano, the Italian foreign minister, reaffirmed the promise in Rome to the British charge d'affaires, E. M. B. Ingram.

Italy and Germany, aligned in the Rome-Berlin diplomatic axis, have recognized the regime headed by Insurgent Generalissimo Fran-

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NOOZIE

THE SELF-MADE MAN OFTEN FORGETS THE FINISHING TOUCHES!

The Weather

Generally fair in northwest portion, thundershowers in east and south portions this afternoon or tonight and probably in southeast portion Saturday morning, becoming fair in west and north portions Saturday. Much colder tonight, and in east and south portions Saturday.

Lake of Ozarks Stage

Lake of the Ozarks five feet below full reservoir.

Sunrise and Sunset

Sunrise 6:06 a. m.; Sunset 6:12 p. m.

The Temperature

The temperature at 7 a. m., was 70 degrees above zero; 68 at noon and 68 at 3 p. m.

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FOND MEMORIES

America's vanishing cigar store Indian has found a place of refuge in the Detroit Institute of Art where, all veteran pipe smokers will agree, he rightly belongs.

To those who think back pleasantly to yesteryear, he will be forever and a day a token of an age when tobacconists' shops were not cluttered and contaminated with punchboards, movie magazines and women's hair nets. He will serve as a momento of quiet years when men behind the counter held forth exhaustively on the nature of tobaccos, and customers were seldom loath to pass an hour in soulfully sniffing the contents of various crocks before approving some new blend.

Verily, he is symbol of something that has gone from America. If there were no asylum for such a one, we would reflect that life has lost even more of its meaning. He may not be art, but the memories he revives are indeed beautiful.

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APPLES

It's a big apple year. Although the continued late dry spell in this section is causing some harm to the crop there is certain to be a bumper yield of the fruit.

Some type of federal aid to help hold the price up has been talked of in view of the vast crop. One of the best means of maintaining a fair price would be for everyone to become a greater user of the fruit, the Hannibal Courier-Post asserts. At this fall's prices almost anyone can afford a bushel or two, and what would be better next winter than "an apple a day," to say nothing of the health advantages old tradition tells us they possess.

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"ROOT, HOG, OR DIE"

The above phrase was common years ago. It was appropriate to a primitive condition of the community. The farmer's hog in those times was not cared for like a modern prize pig. Probably most of the time he was turned loose. His food depended on his rooting capacity. The old farmer saw that human success is also dependent on energy. He brought up his sons on the "Root, hog, or die" principle.

It is not a very nice sounding phrase now. But if people are going to make a success in work or business, they have got to do an awful lot of rooting around. Many people feel that they can prosper without doing much rooting. They are apt to wind up about like the old settler's hog that settled down in the barnyard and waited to be fed.

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Arthmetic is against the bold dreams of Nippon. With each excursion to China she has to beat a larger number of Chinamen.

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Who remembers, before X-ray photograps came along, when a good journeyman right-hander never wondered what was inside his arm?

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Herr Adolf's mustache, according to a recent foreign correspondent's dispatch, is bright red. It must feel out of place, waving up and down during one of der Fuehrer's speeches on the Communist menace.

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Germany, according to reports, has developed a new high explosive shell which melts enemy tanks, frying their crews alive. It must make the Japanese sore to discover, just when they think they are as civilized as Europe, to have Europe spring a new invention like that.

NO IRISH LACE FROM CHINA

It appears that "Irish lace" has been coming from China, but hereafter none will be imported with the knowledge and approval of the federal trade commission, for it has issued a positive order against this sort of practice. Not always has "Irish lace" come from Ireland, nor "Italian olive oil" from Italy, nor "Turkish towels" from Turkey, nor "Venetian blinds" from Venice.

The list is long, including Scotch broth, English mustard, India rubber, plaster of Paris, Paris green, Cuban heels, Dutch ovens and French pastry, but all of these are approved, for geographical names in their cases have acquired a secondary meaning, it seems.

Years ago the pure food and drug act caused Vienna sausages to be called Vienna style sausages unless they were imported from the Austrian city. Virginia hams are one and Virginia style hams are another.

Not everybody who buys "Irish lace" made in China knows that it is not the genuine, honest-to-goodness Irish lace fashioned by Irish hands in Ireland. The housewife knows that Canada bacon is not cured in the Dominion of Canada when the wrapper says plainly that it is Canada style bacon.

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TOWARDS PENAL REFORM

From Springfield News and Press.

Gov. E. D. Rivers of Georgia announces that his state's famous chain gang system is to be abolished and replaced by a more modern penal system.

The plan as he outlines it calls for a continuance of prison road camps—with a vast difference in the method of operation. There would be a central prison to which all convicts would be sent. From it, drafts would be taken for road camps—but there would be no shackles or chains at the camps, and assignment to a camp definitely would be in the nature of a favor, a reward for good behavior at the prison.

Under such a system, Georgia could retain the advantages of her old system and do away with its disadvantages. Convict labor would continue to do useful work for the state, but the abuses which made the old chain gang nortorious would be abolished. Altogether, it looks as if Governor Rivers had had a most excellent idea.

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Now Dictator Hitler is shouting for Germany's expansion. Most of us, who must look at that mustache of his, wish he'd either expand it first—or abolish it.

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The Chinese ambassador to the United States is Mr. C. T. Wang. With a name like that he ought to be able to get off some forceful arguments.

Looking BackwarD

FROM FILES OF THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT

FORTY YEARS AGO

The Guild building was gutted by fire last midnight with a loss of $600. The building was erected in 1867 by Jacob Landmann, father of Frank and Emil, on the site of the three-story building now at the northeast corner of Fourth and Ohio streets. Later it was purchased by Cyrus Newkirk, who occupied it as a residence, one of the finest in town. When Thomas Hackett bought the Marean corner the building was removed.

Misses Mollie and Mattie Hansberger returned this afternoon from an extended visit with relatives in Virginia.

Miss May Small, one of the Queen City's fairest daughters, has been named to represent Sedalia at the annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans to be held in Moberly September 28-30.

Probably the youngest farmer in Pettis county or Missouri is Master John Sneed, son of Harry Sneed, who lives west of Smithton. The lad harrowed in thirty-two acres of wheat the first part of the week and did it in farmer-like manner.

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TEN YEARS AGO

No. 50 highway betwen Kansas City and St. Louis is now open to traffic for its entire length and although it is 42 miles loger than No. 40, it will be one of the most popular highways in the state because of its scenic beauty.

A. P. Beazley of Sedalia was reelected moderator of the Harmony Baptist Association at its concluding session in the East Sedalia Baptist church. W. O. Stanley was chosen assistant moderator; Mrs. B. F. Overstreet, clerk; Clarence Farley, assistant clerk; R. P. Asbury, treasurer; R. S. Campbell, president of Sunday school work; Rev. H. A. Anders, vice president, and Cecil O'Neal, secretary-treasurer.

"JUST TOWN TALK"

Copied Right By "P. E. P."

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The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

By Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen

ABOARD THE PRESIDENT'S TRAIN—So much printer's ink has been spilled describing the dire things Roosevelt is going to do to his Supreme Court foes, that the general public would be justified in thinking he was armed on this trip with machine guns and heavy artillery.

But don't get the wrong idea. This is not a mauraduing exposition. Roosevelt is not going to raid the enemy's territory. He is not going to call people names and make faces.

He may see red inwardly whenever you mention the names Wheeler, Burke, McCarran, O'Mahoney, et al., but he is too skillful a fighter to let anyone know it.

What Roosevelt is doing on this trip is to build up his own fences, which of course is an indirect attack on the opposition. And because it cuts the ground out from under them it can be the most skilful form of attack.

For instance, when Roosevelt passes through Montana he will completely ignore Senator Burt Wheeler, leader of the Supreme Court opposition. He will make a speesh in Butte, Montana, the heart of Wheeler's territory, but he probably will not even mention Wheeler's name.

As he rides across the long State of Montana, the folks who throng the railroad stations probably will see on the rear platform, a young Congressman, Jerry O'Connell, who is Wheeler's Democratic opponent for re-election.

The President will put his hand on O'Connell's shoulder, and that will be enough.

Same Old Fight

Chief subjects to the hammered home on this trip are the Constitution and the Supreme Court. They will be tied together in such a way that the man in the street will understand them as never before during the Supreme Court fight.

For instance, when he visits the Bonneville Dam, the President will talk about water power and the manner in which the power companies controlled rates and were able to get support from the Supreme Court.

On another occasion he will talk about child labor, and punch home the manner in which the Supreme Court for two decades blocked the nation's attempts to outlaw child labor.

He will also emphasize the issues of democracy versus fascism, and the importance of making democracy a living, workable institution. This will be driven home harder perhaps than any other point.

In this connection, one sentence taken from his Constitution Day address may serve as the keynote on this trip. It is, "Nothing would so surely destroy the substance of what the Bill of Rights protects than its perversion to prevent social progress."

To summarize. A lot of New Dealers feel that Roosevelt made a mistake in not carrying through his Supreme Court fight in the early stages last spring instead of going fishing—an opinion probably shared by the President himself.

So that fight is now continuing, belatedly, more concertedly, in more understandable language, and with no outward personal bitterness, but—the same old fight.

Costly Talk

WASHINGTON — Adjournment of Congress on August 21 did not end the flow of congressional oratory. Far from it. It continued to pour out in post-session issues of the Congressional Record for 17 days—at a cost of $45 per printed page.

The total bill to the taxpayer for this flood of printed rhetoric was $13,230.

The subjects discussed cover a wide range. Representative Milburn Cartwright of Oklahoma dwelt at length on the variety of the architecture of Washington churches—cost $90. A quotation inserted by Representative Edith Nourse Rogers of Massachusetts, describing Washington summers as "worse than an equatorial hell," cost $18. Representative Joe Shannon of Missouri expatiated indignantly on the fact that waiters in the House restaurant received lower wages than those in the Senate restaurant—cost $40.

Four rookie Congressmen expounded wordily on their labor during the session—cost $536. One of them, William F. Allen of Delaware, threw a bouquet at his colleagues in these touching words. "I regret parting company, even for a little while, with the splendid friends I have made since coming to the Capitol."

A speech by Representative Frank Hook of Michigan on "The Finns in American Colonial History" cost $67, while a harangue by Republican Floor Leader Bertrand Snell of New York, describing the session as "a case of blind staggers," set taxpayers back $55.

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Diet and Health

by

DR. LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

PREVENTING FOOTBALL INJURIES

Athletic injuries, especially on the football field, are preventable to a considerable extent. As has been pointed out here in previous years, the proportion of injuries in college and university football is far smaller than in secondary schools. The reason is plain that the higher schools have more careful and more experienced trainers, and they exercise more control over their atheltes.

The little boy should go into football very slowly and by degrees, only as he gets hard. Young bones and tendons are fragile and stretch, and then sometimes snap.

Thorough preliminary training is a requisite too often neglected in the lower schools, or in little boys' football teams. There, too, the tendency for players to keep on, after they are exhausted, leads to many unnecessary injuries.

The concept of safety in athletics does not call for the restriction of those spectacular feats which constitute the fascination of sport for the spectator and player alike. On the contrary, it embodies those tested precautions which enable a player to perform in the most spectacular and effective fashion with greater ease and with less chance of his play being suspended, impaired or stopped.

The first consideration is the player's condition. Proper condition means better co-ordination, which tends to prevent injuries, as well as the ability to withstand strains better and resistance to complications. A thorough medical examination is, of course, an aboslute requirement before playing football or basketball.

If a player loses weight or tires easily, this calls for a very special medical examination. If a player falls sick, he should recondition himself gradually before he returns to play, starting with short periods of mild exercise.

Protection Important

Next in importance to training are protective devices. The one device which is universally recognized for every player of every sort is the athlete's supporter.

Strapping with adhesive plaster and bandaging with or without pads of various kinds, are important and effective measures.

Strapping and bandaging weak spots, such as the knee and ankle, before entering playing, may prevent long invalidism.

Other protective devices, such as sliding pads, head guards, shoulder pads and masks vary with the game and position played. Most players know what their individual play calls for, but sometimes one will neglect to provide it. This is particularly true of secondary school football, on account of the expense of these devices. But they pay for themselves in the long run.

Parents should particularly insist on proper safety precautions for secondary school football players, because that is where most of the injuries occur.

Ye Town Crier

Just in case teacher forgot to remind you about it, the Autumnal equinox begins at 5:13 p. m. Central Standard time today.

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Dell Ilmberger tells us that he read in the 40 Years Ago Column that the Parochial school was delayed in opening because of the illness of Sister Agnetis. He says Sedalians who remember her will be interested in knowing that she is still active as a teacher in St. Patrick's school, Troy, Ohio, where she went when she left Sedalia. She is teaching the seventh and eighth grades.

Utilizing "The Law!"

Mrs. Robinson entered the kitchen to find a policeman sitting at the table with the cook.

"Well, Mary," she demanded, angrily, "what's the meaning of this?"

Mary twisted her fingers nervously, then grinned and replied, "Well, Mum, I got him in to crack the nuts with his club."

RUSTLE OF SILKS

By Marie Blizard

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READ THIS FIRST:

Ambitious to become a dress designer, Mary Barrett accidentally meets Tony Castle, owner of a smart New York dress shop. After examining some of her sketches, he offers her a job. They see more and more of one another and begin to fall in love. During the absence of Francine Long, Tony's head buyer who dislikes Mary, the latter successfully designs some gowns for an important client, Liane Weston, a leading actress.

(NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

CHAPTER 7

MARY BARRETT thought that June 27 was the longest day she had ever lived. She didn't know that it was to be one of the most important days in her life.

On her calendar pad there was a small note:

Weston costumes to be ready for final try-on.

Five p. m.

At 3 o'clock, Sadie, one of the sewing room slaveys, poked her head into Mary's studio.

"Miss Barrett, two of the things are ready," she said.

Had it been an unveiling, Mary could not have been more thrilled than she was when she looked at the breath-taking negligee. The turquoise beauty of it with flashes of silver circling down like the wings of a sea bird.

She turned from that to the sable and saffron gown. The touch of the soft chiffon, the incredibly rich fur made her fingertips tingle.

"Where's the black one?" she asked. Her gown.

"Mrs. Long is finishing it," she was told.

"Let me know when it is ready." She went back to her studio office and closed the door back of her. She wanted to savor the moment that was coming—the moment that was hers and yet not hers.

The credit was to be Francine Long's. For all that, since that day nearly two weeks ago when Liane Weston had approved the designs, Mary had literally slaved over them. It was Mary who was at the shop early and late, working over muslins, running to the home of the convalescent Francine for her approval and assistance.

If Francine was jealous of the younger girl, or if she thought that Mary had done a notable thing, she gave no sign of either. Francine was a machine operating for the shop and for that Mary was glad.

Francine did not come back to the shop until two days before the costumes were to be completed and in the meantime, Mary had worked out all the muslin patterns and made duplicates for herself to keep and study her own work later.

Then Tony, embarrassed, kindly, and a little worried, had said, "Mary, do you mind keeping very much in the background for this one time? You know Liane is temperamental and perhaps it would be better all around if she thought that . . . well, that a more recognized designer had done them."

"That's all right," Mary had answered generously. "All I care about is getting the job done right."

And now it was done.

Promptly at 5 o'clock, Liane stepped out of her foreign car. Mary saw her and fled to the workroom where she could see without being seen.

Her eyes danced as she peered through the velvet curtains separating the workroom from the salon. Liane, in the saffron gown, paraded there. Liane's clear voice easily penetrated the curtains.

"It's enchanting, Tony!" she pronounced while her famous hands caressed the lines that dissolved her hips. "I don't want the slightest change in it. Now for the negligee."

While Liane walked slowly before them in the turquoise and silver loveliness, Mary's eyes were on Tony. Her own heart leaped painfully with the happiness and triumph that filled it when she saw his face.

"How about the black dress?"

Liane walked slowly in the turquoise and silver loveliness.

Francine Long walked with the actress out of Mary's hearing and into a dressing room.

She waved aside the maid who attempted to help the actress into the black gown. "Let me help you," she offered and lifted the gown over the ashen head.

Pulling it on, Francine said, "Miss Weston, I'm terribly happy that you are so pleased. I'm so happy that I can forget my own disappointment. You know I didn't design them; they were turned over to a little artist in the shop."

"Didn't you?" Liane asked, struggling into the clinging frock. It mattered little to her who had done them so long as they were so perfect.

"I'm mad about this one," she added from within the folds of crepe.

Francine fastened the last of the hooks and stood off. Liane Weston didn't look into the mirror at first. She was staring instead at the expression of shocked surprise on Francine's face. She didn't see the gleam in Francine's narrowed eyes. Then she turned and looked in the mirror. Saw the angular lines the gown gave her figure, the cruel, stark brutality of it. Then she opened her mouth and shrieked!

Mary heard the tumult that followed. Liane's voice, angry, in a tirade; Tony's placating. The dreadful thought struck her: Something went wrong with the black gown!

She waited for the nightmare to come upon her. It did.

Because it sickened her deep in her heart, she tried not to hear what was said in that back room a few minutes later. There was Tony, furious, out of control with himself, shouting that he had been a fool to trust an untried girl. There was more . . . and more. There was Francine, calm, expressionless save for that steely, smiling light in her eyes. There were fitters, cutters, seamstresses explaining that they'd followed the patterns. Mary had made the patterns.

She sat there long after the others had left for the night, perplexed, forlorn, with her hopes crumbled about her and the discarded black gown thrown contemptuously on a cutting table.

"You still here?" It was her friend, the model, Louise. "Cheer up, kid. Don't mind the boss. You can't blame him for putting on a good show in front of Weston. She's been his best girl for years. It'll all blow over by tomorrow. They can whip up another little number. So don't worry about it."

Don't worry about it. Don't worry about anything. Everything is just lovely. You've only lost everything! You poor fool. You dared to think you were an artist, that Tony Castle was falling in love with you. *She's been his best girl for years.* He doesn't care about you or your talent. Ask him what he thinks of your talent. A nice fluke, wasn't it? A FLUKE? How could it have been? After the patterns were made, the muslins had been cut and Francine herself . . .

FRANCINE!

Mary's unhappy reverie came to an abrupt end.

She snatched the discarded gown from the table and half stumbled to her studio where the box containing her duplicate patterns was stored. She took the patterns out and pinned them to the gown. The evidence of what Francine had done was before her eyes. She had deliberately distorted them! Deliberately ruined the gown, not knowing that Mary had duplicate patterns.

For one wild moment, Mary felt triumphant. She could take them to Tony, prove to him . . .

Then she remembered: Tony wanted none of her. He belonged to Liane Weston.

Oh, she could lock him out of her heart and out of her thoughts but someday . . . someday she would prove to him that she was an artist. She'd make him acknowledge that.

Her leaden eyes fell on a book of sketches. The word PARIS caught her eye. She stared at it for a moment and picked up a pencil. She had $200 in the savings bank and $1,500 in bonds that her grandmother had left her. She had a passport. The morning paper lay at her hand. Slowly she picked it up, turned the sheets to the shipping page. Her finger traced a column.

Gradually life came back to her numbed senses. Losing Tony had given her back an impossible dream.

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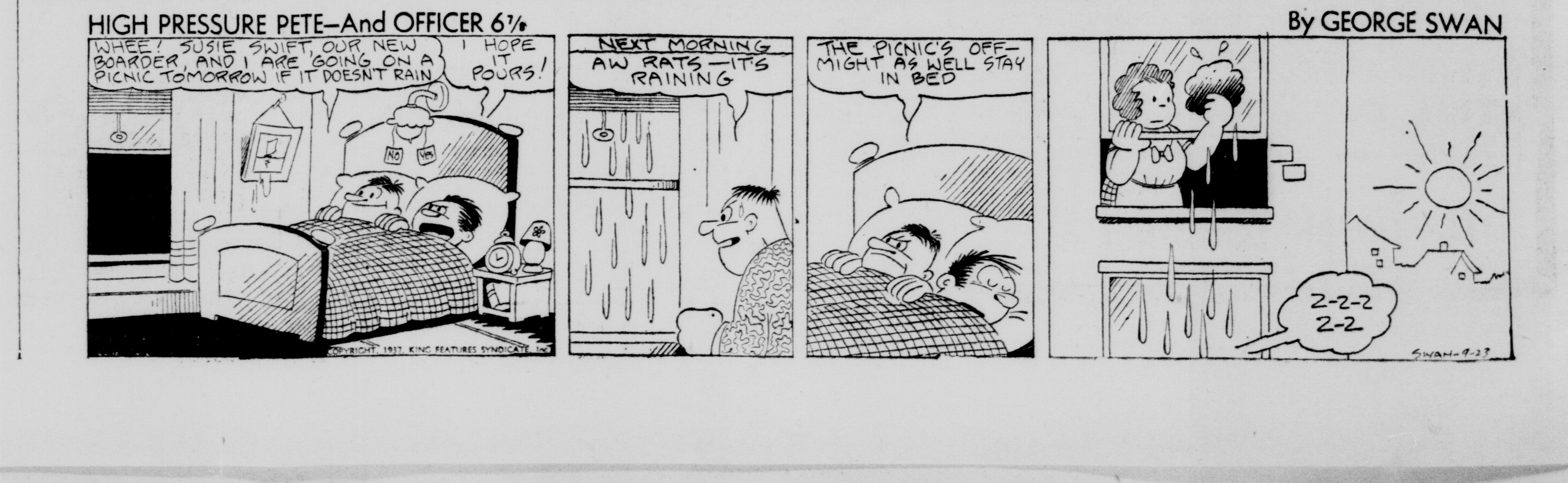
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By GEORGE SWAN
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I HOPE IT POURS!
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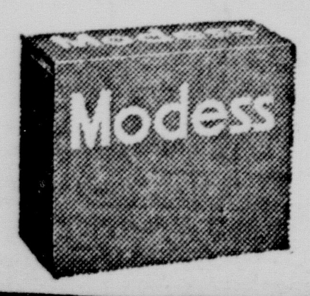

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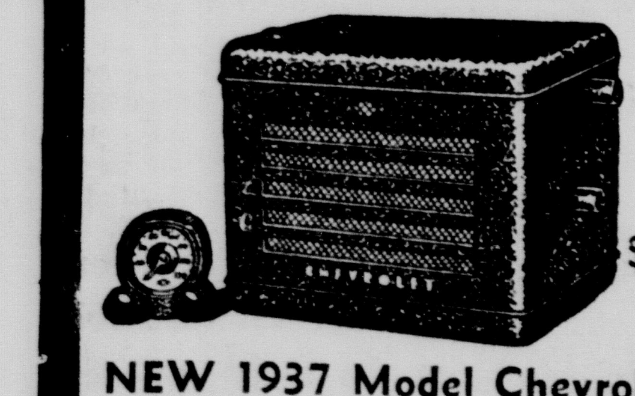

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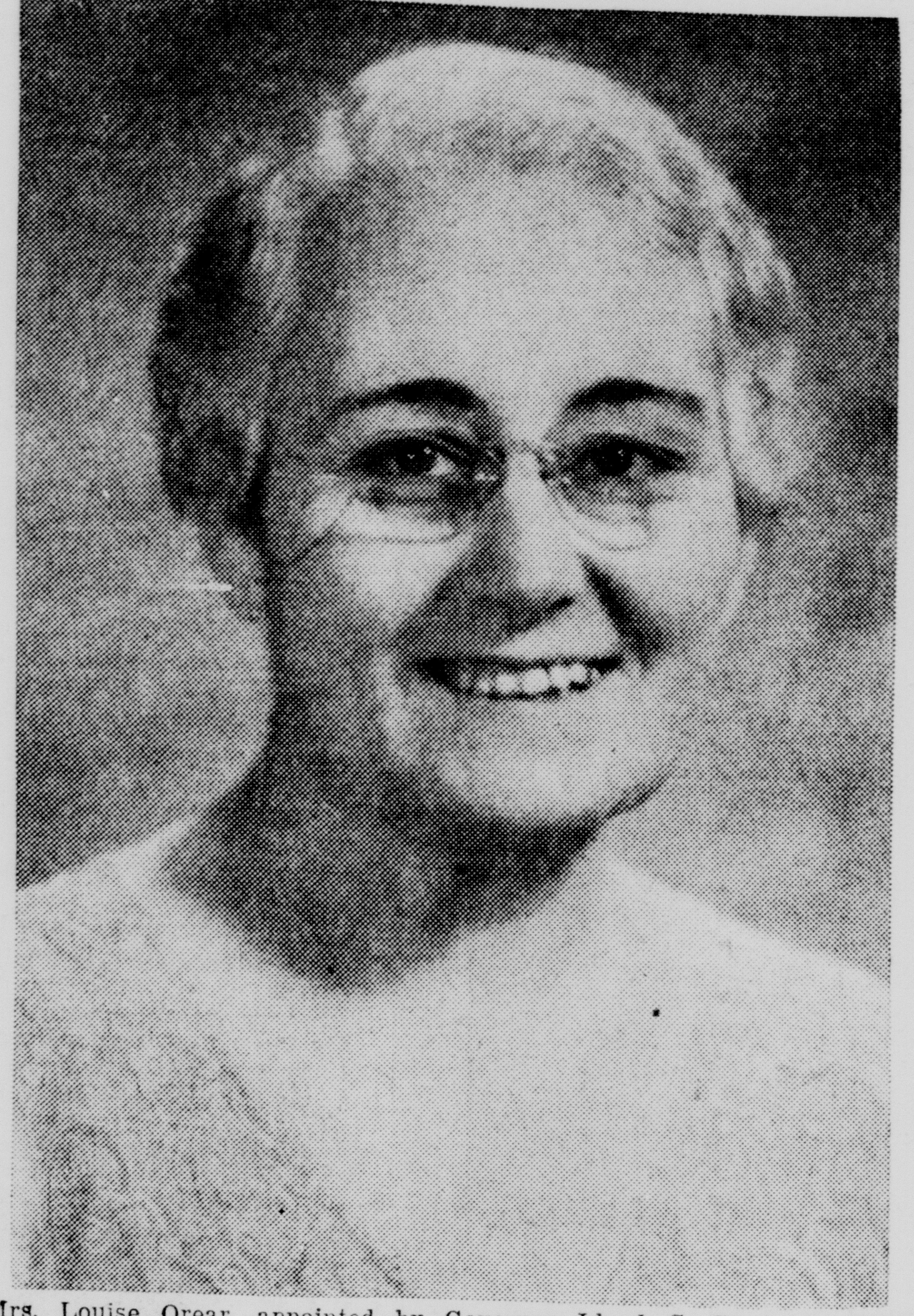
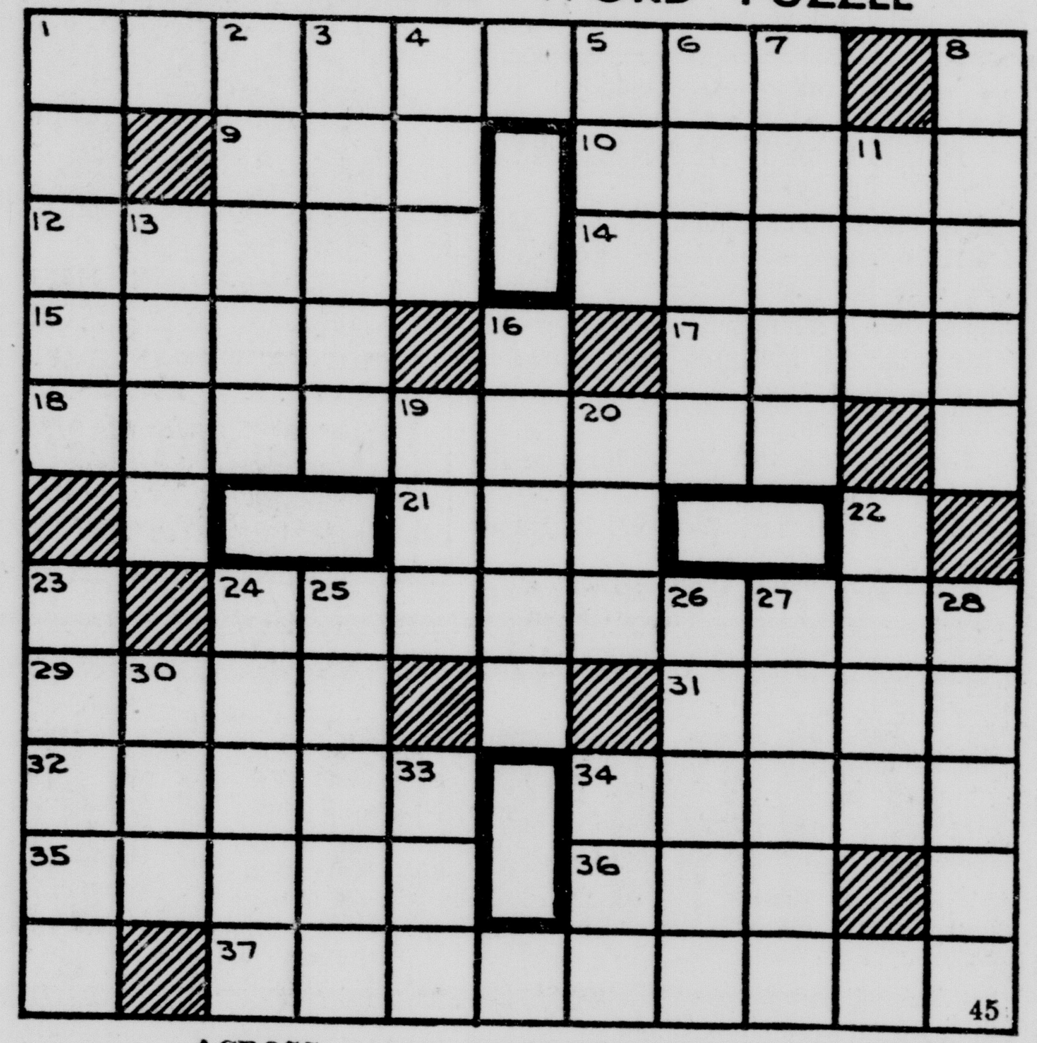


Mrs. Louise Orear, appointed by Governor Lloyd C. Stark as Pettis County's treasurer. Mrs. Orear will take over the office upon receiving her formal commission from the governor's office.

DAILY CROSS WORD PUZZLE



ACROSS

1—The divisions of the academic year
9—Wing
10—Luster
12—Mistake
14—Solemn
15—To speak imperfectly
17—Dyestuffs
18—Short lived
21—Short for Abraham
24—Appointment as cadet
29—A heathen deity
31—Arrive
32—Brother-in-law of Napoleon
34—Clayey
35—A kind of tree
36—Malt beverage
37—Run away (colloq.)

DOWN

1—A pillar stone used as a gravestone
2—Bog
3—Abscond
4—Sardinia (abbr.)
5—Letter S
6—Girl's name
7—Sorceress
8—Concise
11—Born
13—Mature
16—Insurgent
19—Crazy
20—To soak flax
22—Capital of Peru
23—The abode of the souls barred from heaven through no fault of their own
24—Central portions of fruits
25—Exclamation of sorrow
26—Chide severely
27—Drove into a hole
28—Blue
30—That ought to be paid
33—Definite article
34—Cry of a sheep

Answer to previous puzzle

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Death Due Scratch of Thorn

By The Associated Press.

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(By Mrs. Ethelyn Nelson)

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Norman of Tipton spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Betteridge and Mrs. Laura Baughman.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Tuckley of Springfield came Sunday for a few days visit with his mother, Mrs. Grace Tuckley and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Force.

Harry Whitney and friend Mr. Stephens of California, Mo., spent the week end with Harry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whitney, Sr.

Mrs. J. M. Grooms returned home Saturday from a week's visit with her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest English near Columbia.

Mrs. J. R. Koontz spent from Sunday until Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Edmonston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Carver of Boonville spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Ford.

W. L. Nelson of Columbia was visiting relatives here Wednesday.

Mrs. S. H. Kenan of Boonville spent Monday afternoon with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rowles of Olathe, Kas., spent Thursday night and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Wilson.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Elliott attended the funeral of Greg. Latham at California Tuesday.

Miss Willie Harris and Miss Clara Louise Cully spent Saturday with friends at Camdenton.

Miss Blanche Lee Helper of Boonville spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Helper.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Roose and son Bobbie spent Friday and Saturday with relatives in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Renfrow moved their household goods to Tipton Monday where Mr. Renfrow has employment.

Herb Carl of Granite City, Ill., spent the week end with his wife in the home of her mother, Mrs. Clarence Floyd.

Mrs. John Wisner of Olathe, Kas., came Thursday for a visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Wilson.

Rev. H. C. Clark of Boonville filled his regular appointment at the Christian church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wendleton, who have been operating a grocery store in Speed for several years, opened a grocery store in Bunceton in the store building formerly occupied by the Woolridge grocery, Saturday. They expect to move their household goods here in the near future.

Rev. R. B. Shook went to Jefferson City Wednesday where he is attending the anual conference of the Methodist church.

Rev. H. A. Wood, Methodist minister of California, preached a very interesting sermon at the Presbyterian church Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrance Allen of Detroit, Mich., spent the past week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. George.

Mrs. F. W. Hanson accompanied her daughter-in-law Mrs. W. W. Hansen to Memphis, Tenn., Wednesday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McClain and son Jimmie and Allen McClain returned to their home at Detroit, Mich., Sunday after a visit with their grandfather James Richey, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Felix McClain.

Russell Morris and Ed Scott left Wednesday for Lubbock, Texas, where they expect to find employment.

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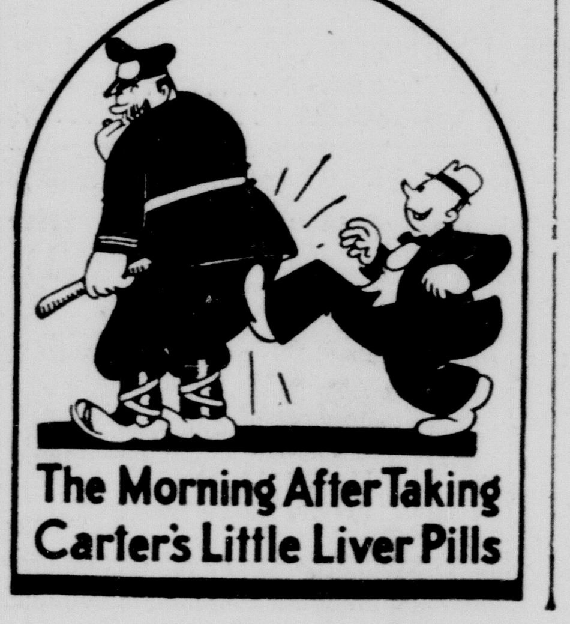
John F. Bluhm and Sons of Smithton donated a fine registered Holstein-Friesian bull to the Central Wesleyan Orphans Home, Warrenton, Mo. This bull was bred at Brookdale Farm, being from one of the good cows in the herd. She is a large cow weighing more than 1600 pounds and has milked 78 pounds of milk a day as a three-year-old. She is a show daughter of Echo King Sylvia who sold for $36,000 when ten months old, whose dam holds the world's record for milk from 1 to 120 days. The sires three nearest dams average 1181 pounds of butter in one year. This bull should continue the building up of the orphanage herd.

EXCELLENT CORN ON THE E. C. THOMPSON FARM

On the farm of E. C. Thompson of this city, located north of Sedalia in a forty-acre field of bottom land is a fine crop of corn that is estimated will yield from 70 to 75 bushels an acre. It is Reid's Yellow Dent and numerous of the stalks carry two ears.

About an acre of South American popcorn is also on the farm some of stalks carrying up to four or five ears.



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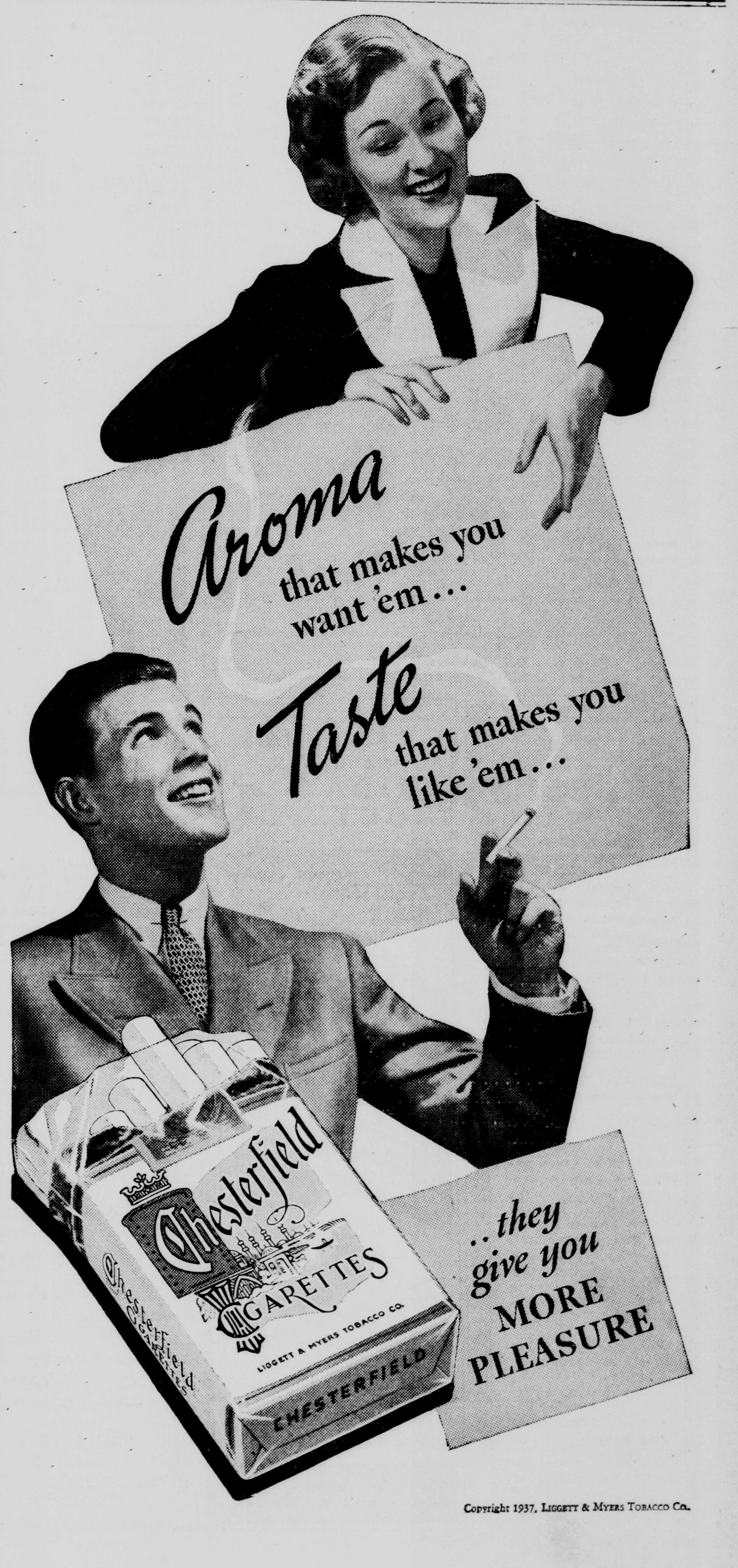
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The world's foremost horsemen, rifle and pistol shots, champion whip crackers; knife throwers, acrobats, aerialists, wire artists, animal trainers; the Society horse show, and scores of other equally prominent acts all combine to make the Tom Mix Circus, "the most talked of circus in the United States."

BEAUTY WITH BILLROY'S COMEDIANS

At a beauty contest recently staged in Miami, Miss Margaret Collins, pictured above, was the "winnah!" Miss Collins is one of the many charming and beautiful girls who grace the line of the famous Billroy's Comedians' Beauty Chorus. This great show plays Sedalia in their water proof tent theatre seating nearly 5,000, located at Liberty Park West 3rd Street for one performance only on the evening of Friday Sept. 24. Doors open at 7:15 p. m. on the night of the performance with the overture starting promptly at 7:30. Parking space is free.

"WOMAN IN RED" IS NAMED IN A DIVORCE BILL

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Mrs. Anna Sage, the "woman in red" who betrayed John Dillinger to federal agents, was named in a divorce bill on file in superior court today.

LODGES

Pettis Chapter No. 279, O. E. S. will meet in regular session on Friday evening, Sept. 24th, at 8:00 o'clock. Program and social session.

Maude L. Bybee, W. M.
Ethel M. Jones, Sec'y.

Masonic Notice

Granite lodge No. 272, A. F. and A. M., will meet in special communication Monday evening, Sept. 27, at 7:30 o'clock, for examination in the E. A. and work in the F. C. degree. All Fellowcrafts ane fraternally invited.

H. W. PASLEY, W. M.
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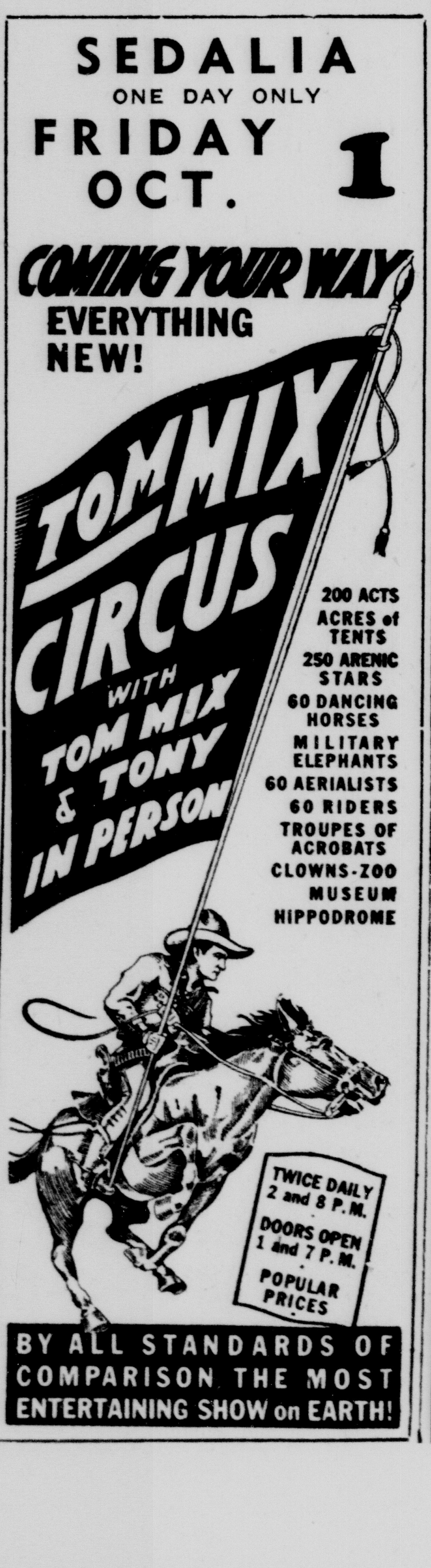

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Midst the serenity and beauty of Shangri-La, the fantastic Tibetan lamasery pictured in Frank Capra's "Lost Horizon," opening a week's engagement at popular prices at the Sedalia theatre, it's easy to fall in love—especially when the loved ones are such outstanding lovelies as Jane Wyatt, seen with Ronald Coleman and Margo, in the arms of John Howard. Above is pictured the dramatic scene where Coleman and Margo decide to brave the mountain storms to fight back to civilization, leaving Miss Wyatt behind. Below is the thrilling climb to the mountain summit cradling Shangri-Ia made by by Israel Jewell, Thomas Mitchell, John Howard, Ronald Coleman and a Tibetan guide. Robert Riskin adapted "Lost Horizon" from James Hilton's memorable novel of the same title.

NEW OFFICERS OF SPIZ CLUB NAMED

The Spiz club of Smith-Cotton met at the high school Thursday afternoon. The thirty-two new club members elected as their president: Miss Kathryn Labahn, vice president Miss Evelyn Jones, secretary-treasurer, Miss Mary Lu Reid, cheer leader, Miss Barbara Botz, reporter, Miss Genevieve Stanley.

The club is composed of sixteen girls from each of the junior and senior classes. These girls are elected annually by members of the Senior Student Council.

During the meeting, the girls decided to continue wearing the same uniforms as in previous years—black sweaters and skirts with orange collars and cuffs.

J. T. Alexander, music instructor, gave a short talk before the girls and discussed the possibility of having some of them play drums while on parade. Taking a vote on it later, it was decided that the girls would take part in a demonstration of this kind.

Let Dick "Oil Plate Your Motor." 6th and Osage. Phone 343.—Adv.

P.-T. A. DISTRICT MEET AT MARSHALL

The Sedalia district of the Missouri congress of parents and teachers will hold a conference in Marshall, Mo., Monday, September 27. This district includes the counties of Chariton, Cooper, Moniteau, Saline and Pettis.

The meeting will be under the direction of Mrs. P. R. Burford, district president and Mrs. W. L. Reed, secretary.

Discussions of school work, organization of the PTA and purpose of the association will be held.

Plans for the year's work will be made and reports on them will be given by the residents of the units in the district.

Anyone interested in Parent-Teachers association is invited to attend.

For those who wear distinguished clothing should demand finest cleaning, then call Parisian Cleaners, Phone 512.—Adv.

MO. MOTO

The one star on the screen who could be "Mr. Moto," the Saturday Evening Post sleuth, to the life, Peter Lorrie is starred in the Twentieth Century-Fox picture, "Think Fast, Mr. Moto," coming Sunday and Monday to the Liberty theatre.

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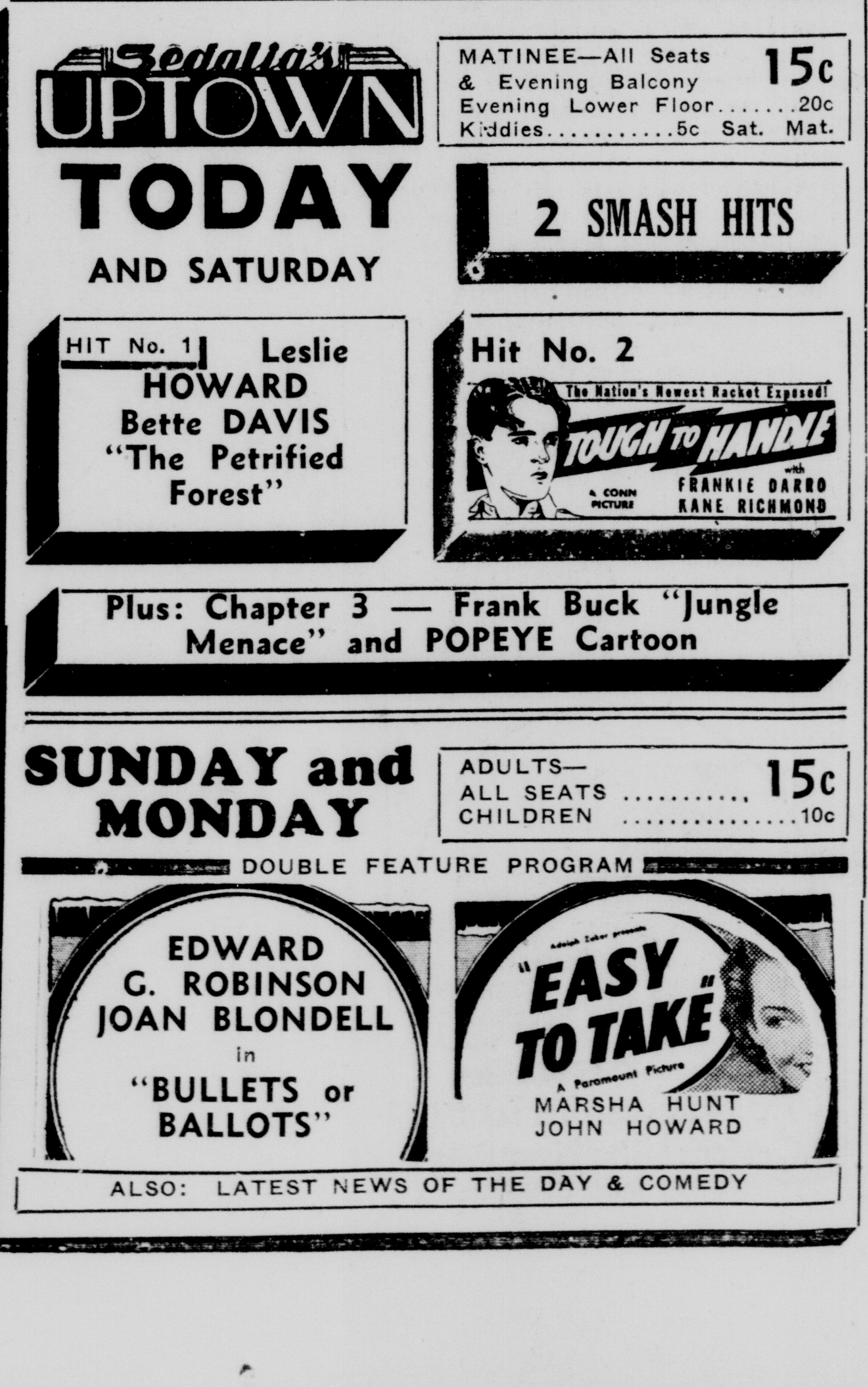

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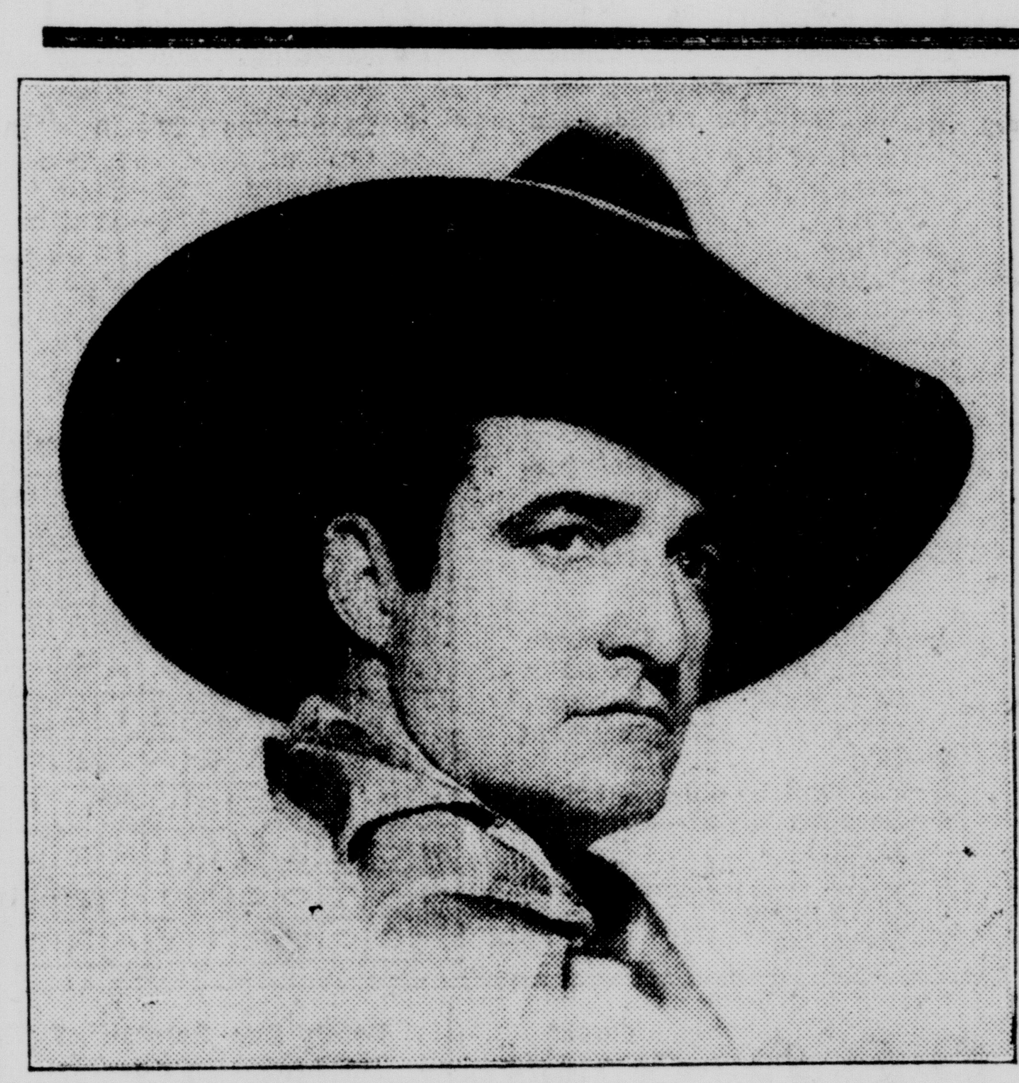

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Divorce Action Filed

A divorce petition was filed in circuit court Thursday evening by A. Aldo Charles against Thelma M. Charles to whom he states he was married June 3, 1926, at Charleston, W. Va., and who allegedly left him about July 1, 1937, to move to North Carolina.

Bonds Were Forfeited

D. C. Reno and N. F. Filhorn, arrested on charges of drunkenness, failed to appear in police court this morning and their five dollar cash bonds were forfeited.

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ORGANIZATIONS OF FARMERS PREFER "OWN FURROW"

Regard With 'Frosty Eye' Proposals Looking To Third Party

By L. A. BROPHY

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Many executives of farm organizations regard with a frosty eye the proposal for a third party with labor and agriculture as a base.

John L. Lewis, C. I. O. chief, hinted at such a possibility in a recent address. The Republican party has sent up several trial balloons to sound out sentiment on a fusion of Republicans and of Democrats who dislike the new deal.

To all of this, however, executives of several agricultural organizations, said today that in national affairs, Cincinnatus prefers to furrow his own field.

Heads of the two great farm organizations, the National Grange and the American Farm Bureau Federation, declined to make any comment but from state leaders in both organizations came expressions of opposition.

A survey of views of farm body executives, made by the Associated Press, brought one exception to a solid lineup of opposition to the Lewis idea.

For Realignment

That came from John L. Bosch, president of the National Farmers' Holiday Association and president of the Minnesota Farmers' Holiday Association. Mr. Brosch lives in Atwater, Minn.

He said:

"A political realignment must be formed that will meet and supply the needs of the farmers and laborers, and if the Democratic party cannot be that vehicle it is up to the leaders to make it so. Otherwise, a national farmer-labor party will be formed.

"We are absolutely in favor of a farmer-labor alliance, and we are not so particularly concerned what its name should be, but what its program will be to meet the needs of those two producing groups."

Mr. Bosch says there are 30,000 members of the farmer-holiday group.

Some of the other views:

Iowa Grange Master Charles Starrett:

"The grange is non-partisan and is interested in the issues rather than the party. I know of no sentiment existing for a third party."

D. E. Wilson, Nesbit, Miss.: president of the Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation:

"A coalition of farmers and industrial workers, particularly in the south, is undesirable for a number of reasons and is not even considered seriously in this section. Our objectives are not the same, either political or economically"

Dr. Meade Ferguson, chairman executive committee Virginia State Grange:

"There always has been a wide divergence between the views of the industrial worker and the farmer and seldom can they be brought together on a common ground."

H. G. Keeney, president of the Farmers Union of Nebraska:

"Our policy has been to make ours an economic, not a political organization."

T. Roy Brooks, master of the Maryland State Grange:

"I oppose the farmer-labor party and it's my opinion there is no more interest in common between agriculture and labor than there is between industry and labor."

Joe Frank Porter, president Tennessee Farm Bureau Federation:

"We are opposed to any type of class party."

F. F. Sams, Jr., honorary life president of the Georgia Vegetable Growers' Association:

"I wouldn't think the farmers would be much interested. I think Mr. Lewis is the only one thinking about it, trying to get elected president."

Recognition To Any Territorial Claims Unlikely

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never formally has notified Italy or Ethiopia that it was being imposed.

Says U. S. Obligated

By J. YATES McDANIEL

NANKING, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, premier of China and commander in chief of the army, declared today the United States was obligated by her treaties "to support China's struggle against Japan aggression."

The generalissimo was visibly moved as he talked to American correspondents in the Chinese capital. His remarks were translated by Madame Chiang, his American-educated wife.

Shortly before, the official Chinese Central News Agency had expressed on behalf of the government appreciation for the American protests against Japanese bombardment of Nanking, adding "but we hope more positive measures will be adopted against the slaughter of innocent non-combatants."

The premier declared "America's responsibility in the present Sino-Japanese war is greater than ever before because she convened the Washington disarmament conference and was mainly instrumental in concluding the nine-power pact and the League of Nations covenant.

"China today is fighting not only for her own existence but for defense of the principles of the nine-power pact and the league covenant. Therefore it is up to the United States and all other signators of existing agreements to support China's struggle."

The nine-power pact was signed in Washington in 1922. Under its terms the United States, Britain, France, Italy, The Netherlands, Portugal, Belgium, Japan and China agreed to maintain the territorial and administrative integrity of China.

BILLROY'S HERE TONIGHT

Billroy's Comedians will play a one night stand engagement in Sedalia tonight in their tent that has been waterproofed on both sides. It was erected before the hard morning rain, therefore beneath the mammoth canvas the ground is dry. Around the tent, which is located on the west side of the ball diamond at Liberty Park, the ground is in good shape and free parking is available with attendants watching the cars during the progress of the show.

In four performances in Missouri, the show has played to over twenty thousand people, with Hannibal, Columbia and Jefferson City each turning out more than five thousand at each stand.

Japanese Claim Annihilation At Paotingfy, China

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at 4 a. m., dropping four bombs. A large piece of shrapnel fell on the Italian consulate at Gunsghan where the consul is still maintaining an office.

The Japanese forces were admittedly making slow progress in their drive against Chinese lines northwest of Shanghai.

Japanese have landed 40,000 reinforcements at Shanghai during the last week, a spokesman said, but he added only slow progress was being made because of the powerfully fortified Chinese positions.

Cholera cases in the international settlement reached a new high if 1,600, an increase of 500 in one week.

American and other foreign doctors, who are fighting the greatest outbreak in Shanghai's history, prayed for cold weather which they said "would kill all flies" and do more good than all the doctors in China.

One hundred and one American men, women and children reached Shanghai today from Mokanshan Mountain. The group was from four missions, 50 Southern Methodists, 21 Southern Presbyterians, 11 Northern Baptists and 19 Southern Baptists.

Ultimatum Issued.

By JAMES A. WHITE

PEIPING, Sept. 24.—(AP)—The Japanese army completely surrounded the strategic Chinese base of Paotingfu, 80 miles south of here, today and issued an ultimatum to the Chinese army to surrender or be annihilated.

The Japanese high command reported the 50-foot high walls of the ancient city of 100,000 people had been breached in a dawn attack. The second Chinese division, commanded by Cheng Tung-Kuo, manning the wall, was said to be fighting desperately but the continuous Japanese artillery bombardment was too much for it.

(A communique issued by the Japanese army in Tokyo announced that Paotingfu had been captured.)

Other Chinese troops were reported fleeing to the southwest along the railway from Peiping to Hankow.

The Japanese surrounded the walled city during the darkness last night, the army headquarters declared, and at dawn attacked in concert from all sides. They slowly fought their way across the moats and finally occupied a corner of the main wall.

In mid-afternoon Japanese military authorities here announced that the Chinese defenders had been driven from the north, south and west gates in fierce hand-to-hand fighting.

The Japanese were said to have taken over the three gates, commanding entry to the city, at 10 A. M., just 15 minutes after they began pushing in through the first breach in the walls.

The Japanese were bringing up tanks and heavy artillery to support the infantry attack. The American Presbyterian mission is just outside the north wall where the battle raged.

No word had been received as to whether the American workers had withdrawn before the battle swept all around the city's walls. The American board mission establishment south of the city was believed to be outside the battle-zone as yet.

Asks Separate Maintenance

A petition for separate maintenance was filed in circuit court this afternoon against Gideon O. Hawley by Clela Hawley. She asks $100 a month for her care and the care of their two minor children, and reasonable attorney fees.

Judgment In Suit

A judgment against Elmer Savage was taken by the Spear Brand Mills as per stipulation in circuit court today. The amount of the judgment was $1,201.79 including interest.

Legion Commander

Daniel J. Doherty
Woburn, Mass.

Thirty-four-year-old Woburn, Mass. lawyer who served seventeen months in the American Navy during the world war was elected national commander of the American Legion.

Most Good To Biggest Number President's Aim

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Mrs. Roosevelt and Marvin McIntyde, presidential secretary, while the special train was being switched in the Cheyenne yards.

The President opened his speech with the remark about a friend asking why he didn't "coast" from now on.

Sheriff George Carroll estimated the crowd gathered to hear the President at from 4,000 to 5,000 persons.

"I had thought it was part of the duty of the President to keep in personal touch with the nation," said Mr Roosevelt, "and so this year, since January, I have already made one trip through some southern states and now I'm going out to the coast for the third time since I have been president, not counting campaign trips; going out to get a 'look-see,' to try to tie together in my mind the problems of the nation."

He said the greater part of the emergency was over, but a lot of problems remained.

He said the government had spent a great deal of money putting people to work and at the same time the administration had tried its utmost to accomplish useful things. There were very few communities that have not benefited, he said.

On the question of airports, he said the federal government had assisted in the actual building of many thousands of these, with the result today the United States is checker-boarded with airports in every state.

Thousands of schools have been built or renovated, too, with a combination of state, local and federal funds.

"We have to come to an end of that program sometime and just the other day we allocated the last of the money for public works projects."

On this trip, he said, he was looking at many types of projects. He said he was always keen when he came west to get more people from the east to come west and see things with their own eyes. The crowd applauded this remark.

"Not All Home Runs"

Commenting on an editorial holding the government had wasted money on a certain project the President said engineers were human and "could not make a home run every time they came to bat."

Many projects of the west, he said, were creating millions of kilowatts of power, all useful to the people.

He denied reclamation investments weer a waste of money.

Many families have had to leave their farms in the drought area, he added, explaining they couldn't make a go of it on poor lands, and weer forced to leave their homes to escape starvation.

There were thousands of families in the east unable to make good on the land they are tilling now, he sid, because it was land that ought not to be put under the plow.

It is the duty of the federal and state governments to provide them with good land so they can make a living, he added.

All the government undertakings, he said, had served a "very useful purpose."

"Don't let anybody deceive you, the government of the United States is not going broke," he said as the crowd applauded.

PERSONALS

J. E. Byrd and family of Kellogg, Idaho, spent the past month here visiting his mother, Mrs. M. E. Byrd and family of 1220 East Ninth street. This is Mr. Byrd's first visit home in 28 years.

New Arrival Named

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde R. Hall, 1509 East Thirteenth street, are parents of a seven pounds daughter born Sunday afternoon, September 19. They have given her the name of Mary Ann.

Petitions a Divorce

A divorce action was filed in circuit court this afternoon by Dorothy Marie Williams against Moreland Car Williams.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Paulina Loges.

Mrs. Paulina Loges, 83, of 1327 East Ninth street, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. F. Miller, 1301 East Ninth street this morning at six-thirty o'clock.

Mrs. Loges was born in Germany in 1854 and came to America with her parents at the age of twelve. The family settled at Florence upon their arrival

She was married to William Loges in 1881 and has resided in Sedalia since then. Mr. Loges died in 1931.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. F. H. Miller, Sedalia, Mrs. Jack McCaskin, Dallas, Texas, Mrs. Harold Tomlin, Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Fred Milburn, Sedalia; three sons, W. C. Loges, Sedalia, G. E. Loges, Washington, D. C., and W. E. Loges, Parsons, Kansas; a brother, A. J. Hansen of Warsaw, fifteen grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

A brief funeral service will be conducted at the home at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon by the Reverend O. J. Rumpf, to be followed by services at 2:30 o'clock at Immanuel Evangelical church, that minister to officiate.

Pall bearers will be L. Bohrenburg, A. Loewer, C. H. Freese, W. R. Gibbs, Gus Romig and J. M. DeJarnett.

Funeral of J. E. Paxton

Funeral services for James Ellsworth Paxton, ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Paxton, 2117 East Broadway, were conducted in the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel by the Rev. L. J. Haleat at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Pallbearers were Gene Collins, Harry Paxton, William Walters and William Paxton, all cousins of the deceased.

FIRST ROUND IN BELMONT OPEN

BELMONT, Mass., Sept. 24.—The first round match results in the $12,000 Belmont open match play golf tournament:

Emil Mashie, Fitchburg, defeated Thomas Howe, Wellesley, 3 and 2.

Lawson Little, San Francisco, defeated Art Straub, Brielle, N. J., 3 and 2.

Harold McSpaden, Winchester, defeated Pat Circelli, Tarrytown, N. Y., 3 and 2.

Henry Picard, Hershey, Pa., defeated Dan Galgano, White Plains, N. Y., 6 and 5.

Johnny Farrell, Short Hills, N. J., defeated James Demaret, Houston, Tex., 19 holes.

Tony Manero, Salem, defeated Jack Harvey, Lynn, 7 and 6.

Al Brosch, Farmingdale, N. Y., defeated Jerry Gianferante, Leominster, 7 and 6.

Long hitting Jimmy Thomson of Shawnee, Pa., overcame Willie Hunter of Williamantic, Conn., 3 and 2.

Wiffy Cox, Bethesda, Md., defeated Bud Clancy, Ipswich, 1 up.

Tom Mahan, Beverly, won by default from Andy Spann, Spring Lake, N. J.

Jimmy Thomson, Shawnee, Pa., defeated Willie Hunter, Williamantic, Conn., 3 and 2.

E. J. Harrison, Little Rock, Ark., defeated Alex Ellis, Swampscott, 4 and 3.

Johnny Revolta, Chicago, defeated Augie Nordone, Jamesville, N. Y., 2 and 1.

Willie Goggin, San Bruno, Calif., defeated Jim Fogerty, Hamilton, 5 and 4.

Ralph Guldahl, Chicago, defeated Bud Geoghegan, Hartford, Conn., 2 up.

Herman Barron, White Plains, N. Y., defeated Denny Shute, Newton, 1 up.

Ed Oliver, Wilmington, defeated Joe Stien, Wayland 1 up.

Horton Smith, Chicago, defeated Frank Moore, Mamoroneck, N. Y., 2 and 1.

Frank Walsh, Chicago, defeated Harry Nettelbladt, Worcester, 3 and 2.

Ray Mangrum, Dayton, O., defeated Bob Burns, Montreal, 5 and 4.

Leo Diegel, Philadelphia, defeated Herman Rama, Paterson, N. J., 3 and 1.

Charlie Yansick, Tuxedo Park, N. Y., defeated Ben Hogan, Fort Worth, Tex., 2 and 1.

"G" MAN AND A ST LOUIS POLICEWOMAN MARRIED

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 24.—It might have been the romantic climax to a G-man movie or a stirring detective tale, but it was a most important event in the lives of Paul Q. Halterman, a federal narcotics inspector, and Miss Ellenor M. Burnbrier, attractive policewoman.

They emerged from the chambers of U. S. District Judge George H. Moore, with beaming smiles, as Mr. and Mrs. Halterman. Mrs. Halterman explained:

"In our work we were thrown together a lot, and before you knew it, he popped the question!"

SEVEN NEW MEMBERS FOR JUNIOR MACCABEES

The Fair City Court of Junior Maccabees held its regular meeting Thursday night with E. N. Kauffman presiding. Seven members were voted into the organization.

The topic for the meeting was "Gentleness." The topic for the next meeting will be "The Value of Water."

A softball was presented to Vernon Lickleiter and a football was given Wilbur Schultz for faithful services rendered the court.

Fair and Track Meet

The Ionia Community Fair and track meet will be held in Ionia Saturday.

Italy To Stop Enlisting For The Insurgents

(Continued from Page One)

cisco Franco as the true government of Spain.

Joint Peace Appeal.

By MELVIN K. WHITELEATHER

MUNICH, Germany, Sept. 24.—(AP) Informed sources disclosed today that Premier Mussolini and Chancellor Hitler have agreed to make a joint, world appeal for peace when they speak Tuesday at the close of a huge demonstration in Berlin.

Mussolini, en route to Munich today by special train for what is regarded in diplomatic circles as a highly-important meeting with Germany's furher, was said to have already completed his speech on the subject.

Italians in position to know said Il Duce's speech and Hitler's would constitute a mutual message of peace which might form the basis for lasting understanding in Europe.

Hitler, who already has arrived in Munich to greet Mussolini at the railroad station tomorrow morning, and the Italian leader were represented as having in mind the attainment of peace through some arrangement with Great Britain and France, according to information available in diplomatic circles here.

Russia Not Included.

However, their plans do not include the participation of Soviet Russia.

The arrangement might be based on another Locarno accord, both Hitler and Mussolini reportedly being willing to enter into such a program.

It was said that the new lineup of Locarno accord members would have to be the same as that of the old Locarno pact. The only changes to which they would agree being the omission of Belgium, which country has declared its neutral status, and the omission of the Rhineland clause, which is out of date now.

This version was taken to mean Mussolini and Hitler intend to reject the British idea of a northern Locarno embracing Britain, France, and Germany, and a southern Locarno embracing France, Germany and Italy.

Political observers believed, however, that any real peace understandings with Britain and France will be difficult to arrive at so long as the Spanish civil war, danger point of the whole European situation, continues.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—(AP)—The meeting in Germany next week of the world's number one and two dictators—Mussolini and Hitler, or Hitler and Mussolini, according to the reader's notion of precedence—already has produced one prospect which may have far reaching effects.

Mussolini reportedly will act as the Pope's emissary to try to persuade der fuehrer to lift the heavy hand of Nazidom from the church.

Not only would such a move be a matter of moment to religious people the world over, but it might have a profound influence on the trend of international relations.

It is not giving the matter too fine a point to say that Germany never can make completely satisfactory pacts with democratic foreign governments so long as they continue to charge her with racial, religious and class intolerance.

Both Mussolini and Hitler are said to be anxious now to conclude a friendly working agreement with England and France. The peace of Europe may depend on some such move.

Perhaps an arrangement will be reached, but so far as the Nazi chieftain is concerned he will encounter a lack of warmth essential to complete success. The repressive measures taken by Germany against the churches, both Catholic and Protestant, against the Jews and against labor organizations have been met with grave disapproval and even open hostility by the people of Britain and France.

Democratic governments like those of France and England can make only such agreements as their people approve. Public opinion in these two countries will deprive Germany of many concessions so long as present conditions exist.

It will be interesting to see how far Mussolini will get with Hitler in the ambassadorial capacity, if the Italian leader accepts that role.

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DIDN'T STOP IN SHOOTING UNTIL GUN WAS EMPTIE

Witness Testified Ro Garr Fired After Denhardt Had Fallen

By The Associated Press.

SHELBYVILLE, Ky., Sept. 24. Roy Garr, named by a witness the one who fired a "coupe grace" bullet into the head of Br Gen. Henry H. Denhardt after had fallen under two bullets he Monday night, testified today feared him, I knew he had kill my sister and I knew he wou kill me."

"I saw Denhardt go for right hip and by God I went my gun," he added. "I was scar and I started shooting and I did stop until I had emptied my gun

Rodes K. Myers, counsel for t 61-year-old former lieutenant g ernor who was shot to death front of a hotel here Monday nig on the eve of his second tr charged with murder of his fiance comely Verna Garr Taylor, h previously testified at the examini trial of the three Garr brothe that Roy, a 46-year-old farmer h stood over Denhardt and shot hi through the head after two bulle had brought him down.

Myers, who had helped defe the portly ex-lieutenant govern and ex-adjutant general at his fir trial which ended in a hung ju was called as the first witness the examining trial of Mrs. Ta lor's three brothers, Roy, Jack an Dr. E. S. Garr, charged in a wa rant with murder of Denhardt.

Myers came in County Judge F. Walters' court guarded by tw state police whom Colonel E. Huey, head of the state police, sa the attorney had requested.

Myers said he did not know whic of the Garr's fired the first sho but that Jack did not have a gu

"Roy Garr went up to the gener and fired a shot as he stood ove the general," he said.

Myers denied the general mad any hostile move toward the Garr and said he did not speak afte seeing the brothers.

: SOCIETY :

Miss Ruth Keller Weds Richard Lee Lamber

Miss Ruth Keller of LaMont and Richard Lee Lambert of Monroe, La., were married Tuesday eve ning at 8 o'clock at the home the officiating minister, the Re George W. Jennings in Independence, pastor of a Christian churc in that city. The couple was un attended. After the ceremony the went to Kansas City and Wednes day evening returned to LaMont where they will make their hom with the bride's mother, Mrs. C. W Keller, in LaMonte.

Miss Keller, now Mrs. Lambert graduated from the LaMonte hig school in the class of 1933. She i also a graduate of Central Busines College in Kansas City. She hel a stenographic position with Stenmon's Automobile Exchange i East St. Louis last winter but ha spent the summer with her mother

Mr. Labert is employed at th compressor station of the Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Compan near Houstonia. He was burne three weeks ago when some gasoline accidentally ignited and ha been a patient in Bothwell hospital Sedalia. He was able to leave th hospital Tuesday morning and expects to return to his work nex Monday.

ADDITIONAL CHURCHES

Methodist church, South, Fifth and Osage. J. C. English, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. In the absence of the pastor, who is attending the annual conference at Jefferson City, Mo., our people have been invited to worship with the First Methodist Episcopal church at 10:45 a. m. League services will be held at the usual hour Sunday evening. There will be no evening preaching service.

Made Ward of Court

Two juvenile hearings were conducted this morning by Judge Dimmitt Hoffman of the juvenile court. Daisy Jones, charged with assault upon Jewell Gray, was dismissed after hearing evidence in the case. Both are Negroes.

Arneta Wilson, a delinquent, was made a ward of the court and later released to her mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harker.

Too Late to Classify

HEATROLA for sale. 1609 S. Carr.

RENT — Furnished or unfurnished apartment; sleeping rooms. 314 E. 5th.

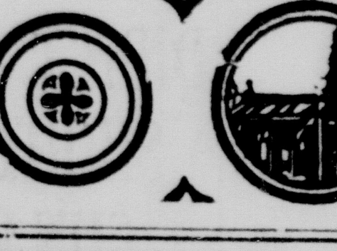
AA FERTILIER—Fresh stock. Fred M. Lange, 308 W. Main. Phone 63.

FOR SALE or Trade—Chrysler 52. Extra good tires. Cheap. 1103 E. 5th.

FOR SALE—Jersey cow and heifer. 2001 E. 12th.

FOR SALE—Fresh country eggs 22c per dozen, Missouri Feed and Produce Co.

FOR SALE
INTERNATIONAL 15-30 Tractor, 9 ft. double disc, 3 bottom plow, power binder, 32 volt Delco light plant, fixtures, washer and Edison battery. M. F. Donohoe, Jr., Route 6, Sedalia.



Influence of Church and Home

Creamed Comments On S.S. Lesson

God in the Making of a Nation. Deuteronomy 8:11-20 for Sunday, September 26.

We are still listening to Moses as he instructs and warns the Israelites as they are about to enter the promised land.

V. 11. "Beware lest thou forget Jehovah thy God, in not keeping his commandments, and his ordinances, and his statutes, which I command thee this day." The word "Beware" indicates the utterance of a most important truth, the danger of forgetting God. Our forgetfulness is partly controlled by our preferences. It is easy to forget what we dislike doing, so we are responsible for forgetting when following our likes and not following the Lord. So deep and delusive are the material and pleasurable appeals, so dominant is our self-interest that we go our own way of transgression often, and we fall away from God. We need to use all available means of remembering God, namely, his commandments, his ordinances and his statutes.

V. 12. "Lest when thou hast eaten and art full, and hast built goodly houses and dwell therein;" Often self gratification and comforts are our greatest dangers and will prove our moral ruin.

V. 13. "And when thy herds and flocks multiply, and thy silver and thy gold is multiplied, and all thou hast is multiplied;" All human experience proves that prosperity has its perils. A full house, a large bank account, large dividends, consume time and thought and may divert interest and attention away from God.

V. 14. "Then thy heart be lifted up, and thou forget Jehovah thy God, who brought thee forth out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage." It is surprising how pride enters when a little prosperity comes; how often those of humble parentage, when prospered, not only forget God but also forget their parents with their good counsels. The burden of the Old Testament teaching was "Not to forget God." The curt is a right heart.

V. 15. "Who led thee through the great wilderness, wherein were fiery serpents and scorpions, and thirty ground where there was no water; who brought thee forth water out of a rock of flint." Not to forget God is to often recall past experiences in which we have been saved from danger by divine providence.

V. 16. "Who fed thee in the wilderness with manna, which thy fathers knew not; that he might humble thee, and that he might prove thee, to do thee good at the latter end." It is a good custom for us to consider the larger part God has in providing our food, clothing and comfort.

V. 17. "Lest thou say in thy heart, My power and the might of my hand hath gotten me this wealth." We need to see that those who prosper are but a link in a chain of other workers and that success comes from a co-ordination of others in helpful service to mankind. Not much emphasis ought to be given to the idea of "self-made men;" it engenders pride that rules God out. What we are and what we have, depends more on God than ourselves though we must do our part well.

V. 18. "But thou shalt remember Jehovah God, for it is he that giveth thee power to get wealth." We are simply God's stewards, accountable to him for the use of our talent or talents.

V. 19. "And it shall be, if thou shalt forget Jehovah thy God, and walk after other gods, and serve them, and worship them, I testify against you this day that ye shall surely perish." It is not a small matter to forget God since the result is that of self-destruction. We are prone to get our eyes off results of our wrong choosing and wrong doing.

V. 20. "As the nations that Jehovah maketh to perish before you, so shall ye perish, because ye would not hearken to the voice of Jehovah your God." National peril is closely associated with the life of its individual citizens. Each of us have our contribution to make in furnishing Christian character and ideals as national standards and objectives.

Wit And Wisdom

Signs

Said the visiting preacher: "Your congregation seems to be suffering from a shocking number of colds, judging by the coughing toward the close of my sermon."

"They weren't colds," replied the host, "they were time signals."

Do You Know?

1. How was the strife in the Christian church at Antioch settled?
2. Who presided over this council?
3. What special work of mercy did Paul perform at Phillipi?
4. Why was he arrested for doing this?
5. What is Paul "epistle of joy."?

(Answers in column eight)

Discussion Questions on S.S. Lesson

God in the Making of a Nation. Deuteronomy 8:11-20 for Sunday, September 26.

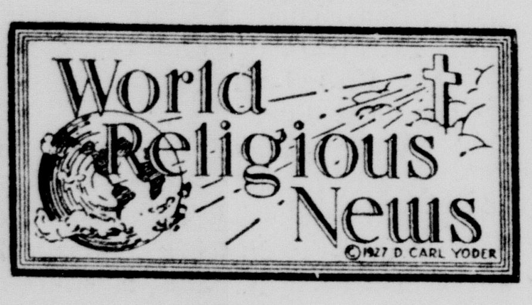
1. How can we strengthen our memory?
2. How may we keep ourselves humble?
3. Why is it dangerous to forget God?
4. For what purpose is prayer commanded?
5. What are some of the ways by which we may daily remember God?

Clericus says, "Our nation is the envy of the world in its wonderful resources and wealth, but this very prosperity in some way proved our danger and plunged us into the depths of the depression. No nation can be excepted from this law of true prosperity, and in forgetting God we destroy ourselves."

Lesson Prayer: "Help us to be watchful that every means available is used to remember God as our father and His will concerning us."

BOOK REVIEW

Christianity and Our World, by Bennett, the Association Press, New York, reveals the interpretation of what Christianity means for our modern world, emphasizing those aspects of the Christian faith which have most importance to those facing the problems of civilization.



World Religious News

Sunday schools are conducted in 129 different countries and are prohibited only in Russia.

A fact that is notable is the most of the men occupying positions in the Native Affairs Department of Public Service in the Bantu region of Africa are the sons of ministers and missionaries. They are men recognized for their sympathy and practical helpfuiness to the African people.

Last year more than 63 million members were recorded on the church lists. One out of every two Americans was attached to some church. The proportion with church affiliations increased instead of diminished. They who say that the churches are losing in the United States do not know their America.

Modern Bible illustrations are said to be confusing to African natives. It is claimed that they cannot understand the poverty of the widow who cast in her mite when she is dressed in flowing robes, clothes being a symbol of wealth to the native. In an effort to cure this teaching difficulty, the World's Sunday School Association is planning to present prizes to native African artists who produce illustrations of the parables conveying the fullest meaning to native African children.

At the Oxford Conference recently held at Oxford, England, one of the most impressive and perhaps one of the most significant features was the daily service of devotion held morning and evening at historic and beautiful St. Mary's church. The language of penitence and prayer is a universal language and there Anglican, Orthodox, Old Catholic, Lutheran and Reformed mingled their voices with Baptists and Methodists and many others in worship. In the singing, three languages were used, and the hymns selected sung simultaneously to the same tunes. The services were conducted by all types of churchmen and in various tongues.

One Minute Pulpit

All the rivers run into the sea; yet the sea is not full; unto the place whence the rivers come, thither they return again.—Ecclesiastes 2:7.

Read The Democrat Want Ads.

HONORING THE LORD'S DAY.

Every nation that has disregarded and profaned the Sabbath has paid dearly for it. It is a day God has given to man for a particular purpose, and to use it for anything other than a holy day is just as wrong as to steal or kill. Before we can get anywhere religiously, generally speaking, there must be an honoring of the Lord's day. It was the devil's trump card to upset religion by getting men to defame the Sabbath. Sunday is not a holiday.

The Sabbath can not be kept holy any better than by attending a public service of worship. Why not accept the invitation and COME TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY?

D. Carl Yoder

News of the Churches

Broadway Presbyterian church. R. A. Waggoner, minister. Mrs. C. L. Meyers, organist. Bible school 9:30 a. m. Classes for all ages. Morning worship 10:45. Sermon subject "Why Not Try God?" A guest soloist will sing. Young people's meeting 6:30 p. m. Evening church worship 7:30. Sermon subject, "Listen." A chorus choir will lead in the singing and special music of the evening. To all the meetings of the church both friends and strangers are most cordially invited.

Calvary Baptist church, Broadway and Moniteau. Rev. J. R. Sumners, pastor. Bible school next Lord's Day morning 9:30. Roy Looney, Supt. E. L. Hall, associate Supt. Morning worship 10:45. Pastor's sermon subject, "What Isaiah Said About Jesus," Isa. 9:6. B. T. U. 6:45 p. m. Dr. C. Taylor, director. J. R. Durham, associate director. Mrs. Floyd Thompson, assembly leader. Evening worship 8 o'clock. Pastor's theme: "Simeon Waiting for the Consolation of Israel." Luke 2:25. Regular monthly B. T. U. business and council meeting Monday evening 8 o'clock. Installation of all church officers combined with the study of the seventh chapter of The Acts, verses one to forty-three, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Choir practice Friday evening. Good attendance and splendid interest in all W. M. U. recent meetings both for State Missions and in other regular meetings. We invite you to come worship with us.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Missouri Synod. Broadway and Massachusetts avenue. Herman H. Heidbreder, pastor. Sunday school at 9:20 a. m. Divine service at 10:45 a. m. Theme of sermon: "Saved! How? By Works or Grace?" A cordial welcome to all who wish to worship with us.

Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church, Fourth and Vermont. Rev. Oscar J. Rumpf, pastor. Church school at 9:30. Bill Wilson, Supt. Morning worship at 10:45. The pastor will speak on the topic, "The Missionary Commission of the Church." Mrs. Mildred Nagel will sing the solo for the morning service. Come and worship with us.

Trinity Lutheran church, Tenth and Osage avenue. Rev. K. de Freese, pastor. Bible school every Sunday forenoon at 9:30 o'clock. Elmer Fingland, Supt., in charge. Special music by the orchestra. Divine worship at 8 p. m. Rev. Charles A. Puls, president of the Synod of Kansas and adjacent states will preach the sermon. Rally Day will be observed in our Bible school on Sunday, October 3.

First Methodist Episcopal church, Osage and West Fourth. Quincy R. Wright, pastor. The Annual Promotion Day program will be observed next Sunday morning. The departments will meet in regular session at 9:30 in their department rooms. At 10:30 ushers will lead those from each department into the church auditorium where the promotion program will take place. The regular order of worship will be conducted and an anthem by the senior choir. The pastor will preach the sermon and will use as his sermon theme "Something Ahead." The class from the beginners department will present its part on the program, receive the certificates and be placed in the primary department. Mrs. Harry Lambirth, the beginners superintendent, will present the class to Mrs. A. L. Walter, superintendent of the primary department. The class being promoted from the primary department will give its part on the program and be placed in the junior department. Mrs. A. L. Walter will present the class to Mrs. George Anderson, superintendent of the junior department. The class leaving the primary department will receive Bibles. The junior class will receive certificates and be presented to Mrs. A. G. Hausam, superintendent of the intermediate department. All of the men in the Men's Bible class and the women in the women's department will assemble in the church auditorium at 10:30 and unite with all other departments. There will be no service next Sunday evening. The pastor will return to the session of the Missouri Annual Conference after the morning service. The Epworth League will meet at 6:30 Sunday evening in the lecture room of the church. The annual election of officers and church board meeting will be held Friday evening of this week at 7:30 in the lecture room of the church. All officers and teachers of the church should be present.

Salvation Army Temple, 120 East Fifth street. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Holiness meeting 11 a. m. Young People's Legion 6:30 p. m. Sunday night 7:30 p. m. Thursday night 7:30 p. m. You are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Community Mission (Nazarene) 517 South Lafayette. Rev. Edwin E. Hale of Topeka, Kas., district superintendent of the Nazarene, Kansas City district, will preach in the afternoon service at 3 p. m. Rev. Hale is an interesting and outstanding speaker. There will be special music and singers, using the old time gospel songs. Thursday at 8 p. m. each week there will be an old fashioned prayer and testimony meeting. We have secured a special leader for these meetings, who will also give some interesting talks on personal work. Community Mission stresses and preaches old time religion as the need of a perplexed world in which we live. You are cordially invited to join in these old time Gospel services.

Federated church (Central Presbyterian, First Congregational) Sixth and Osage streets. E. L. Baker, minister. Sermon theme for the worship service at 10:45 a. m., "False Alarms and Sham Values. The music program under the direction of Miss Mabel DeWitt, Anthem by the ladies choir, "Consider The Lilies," by Topliff, and violin solo, "Forsaken," by Wenterset, by Miss Margaret Love. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. A. M. Hoffman, Supt. A cordial invitation and friendly welcome to these services. Go to church somewhere.

Temple Beth El, West Broadway and South Missouri avenue. Rabbi Samuel Halevi Baron. Religious services for the intervening Sabbath of Sukkoth week, the Biblical Feast of Tabernacles, are to be held tonight at 8 o'clock. The Rabbi will preach on "The Religion of Wide-Open Spaces." The eve of Shemini Atzereth, the Eighth Day Feast of Conclusion, will be observed with an early Sunday evening young people's service—beginning at 4:30 p. m.—to which all others are likewise invited. Aranged by the Rabbi this service is to be actively participated in by the children of the Religious school, who will also sing the musical responses—with Mrs. Fred Ross at the organ. A feature of the service—in anticipation of the ninth day of Sukkoth, known as Simchath Torah or the Day of Rejoicing in the Law of Moses—will be the traditional completion and resumption of the annual cycle of Bible readings by the reading of the last chapter of Deuteronomy and the first chapter of Genesis in the ancient hand-engrossed parchment scrolls of the Pentateuch. Similarly in keeping with the spirit of Sukkoth, the civilized world's oldest existing harvest festival of thanksgiving, will be the offerings of fruit to be bought to the Temple on Sunday afternoon by pupils of the Religious school, for the benefit of children in the community less fortunate. Regular sessions of the Religious school take place between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock on Sunday morning. The first meeting this season of the Women's Bible class will be held on Tuesday afternoon, September 28, at half past two, in the home of the Rabbi—1020½ West Third street.

The Full Gospel Assembly, Fifth and Hancock. Rev. C. W. Swanson, pastor. Glenn Pace, orchestra director. The Lord's Day services for September 26th will be Sunday school 9:45, Edward Schultz, Supt. Mrs. Pearson, assistant Supt. Classes for all ages. Morning worship 11 a. m. Message by pastor. Full Gospel Messengers 6:30. Ervin Kelly, president. Evening service 7:30. Sermon topic, "The First Fruit of The Earth." Choir and orchestra taking part. Week services: Tuesday evening 7:30. This service is in charge of the young people. Thursday, Bible study in connection with S. S. lesson. Friday night 7:30, subject Matt. 8:28-29, message by pastor. Saturday 2:30 Junior church. Give your children an opportunity to know scripture. Everybody welcome to all services.

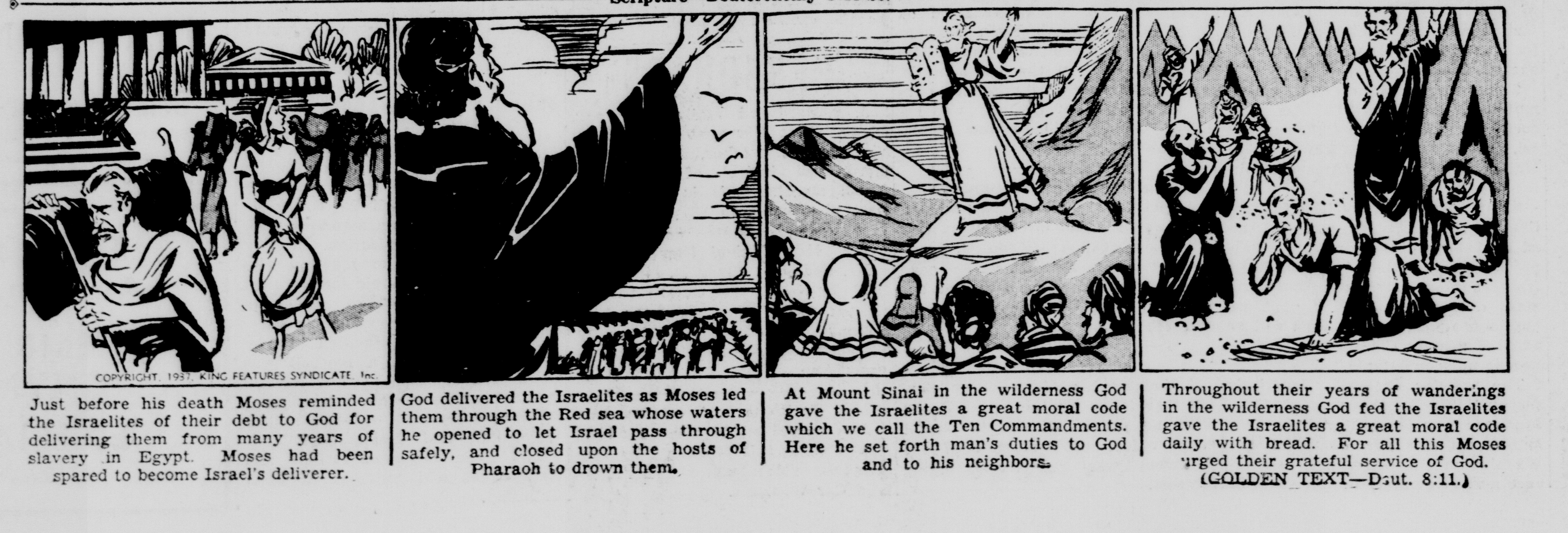
The First Christian church. A. W. Kokendoffer, pastor. Mrs. H. O. Foraker, organist. Mrs. C. A. Greene, choir director. The Sunday school with L. J. Harned, superintendent, meets at 9:30. Communion at 10:45. There will be no preaching service as Mr. Kokendoffer, together with many members of the congregation will be in attendance at the state convention in Columbia. No night service at the church.

God in the Making of a Nation

ILLUSTRATED SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By the Rev. Alvin E. Bell
And Alfred J. Buescher

Scripture—Deuteronomy 8:11-20.



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Just before his death Moses reminded the Israelites of their debt to God for delivering them from many years of slavery in Egypt. Moses had been spared to become Israel's deliverer.

God delivered the Israelites as Moses led them through the Red sea whose waters he opened to let Israel pass safely, and closed upon the hosts of Pharaoh to drown them.

At Mount Sinai in the wilderness God gave the Israelites a great moral code which we call the Ten Commandments. Here he set forth man's duties to God and to his neighbors.

Throughout their years of wanderings in the wilderness God fed the Israelites gave the Israelites a great moral code daily with bread. For all this Moses urged their grateful service of God. (GOLDEN TEXT—Deut. 8:11.)

Church Forum

Does Conscience Ever Die? Henry W. Tiffany has said in answer to this question: "Experience teaches that conscience never dies. However deep the grave, there is a resurrection day for every buried conscience. Conscience may be supressed, but not slain. Like the atmosphere which bears down upon man from every point of the compass and at every tick of the clock, man cannot evade or extinguish it. Herod discovered this fact when he thought Jesus was John the Baptist returned to life. Nero when pursued by the ghost of his mother whom he had put to death; Caligula when he could not sleep because of the tormenting faces of his murdered victims. Memory may be silenced, but not slain. Man thinks the evil deed forgotten, but something startles, an unseen hand draws back the curtain laying bare the skeleton. Because of this experience criminals have given themselves up and begged execution. Conscience writes the crime indelibly on the memory of man. It respects not person, position, power, pedigree or prestige.

First Baptist church, Sixth and Lamine. Dwight H. Willett, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. C. A. Dinwiddie, general superintendent. Next Sunday will be promotion day with a special program that will occupy the entire period. Morning worship at 10:35 a. m. Special music by the adult choir. Mrs. B. B. Bess, choir director, Mrs. Clyde Williams at the piano. Pastor's theme, "The Church at Philadelphia." Baptist Training Union at 6:15 p. m. Miss Myrtle Lewis, general director. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. O. H. DeWolf at the piano. Special music by the young people's choir. Pastor's theme, "Christ's Last Invitation." This will be the pastor's last Sunday with the church as he will soon take up his new field of labor at Erwin, Tenn. The public is cordially invited to attend the services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist services are held in our church edifice, Sixth street and Lamine avenue. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Sunday morning services at 11:00

Subject: "Reality." Golden Text, Psalms 119:89.

Wednesday evening service at 8:00 o'clock. The church maintains a reading room located in the same building, entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public every afternoon from 2 until 4, except Sundays and holidays, also after the services Wednesday evening and Sunday morning. The Bible and all the writings of Mary Baker Eddy may be read, borrowed or purchased at this room. The public is cordially invited to the services and to enjoy privileges of the reading room.

Cumberland Presbyterian church, Sixteenth street and Harrison avenue. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m.

Catholic Churches

St. Patrick's Parish, Rev. P. A. Dunn, M. A., pastor. Masses: Sundays 6, 7:30 and 9:30 a. m. Week days at 8:00 a. m. Holy hour Sundays at 3:00 p. m.

Sacred Heart Parish, Rev. C. Daniels, C. PP., S., pastor. Masses: Sundays 6:00, 7:30, 8:45 and 10 a. m. Week days 6:15 and 8:00 a. m. Holy hour, Friday and Sunday evenings at 7:30.

St. John's Parish, Bahner. Masses at 8 o'clock on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of every month, and on Holy days. Masses at 10 o'clock on the 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays. St. Patrick's Parish, Spring Fork. Masses at 8 o'clock on the 2nd, 4th, and 5th ed one hour during the summer Sundays. And at 10 o'clock on the 1st and 3rd Sundays and on Holy days. Hours for all Masses advancmonths.

REV. S. B. CAMPBELL IS TO RETIRE

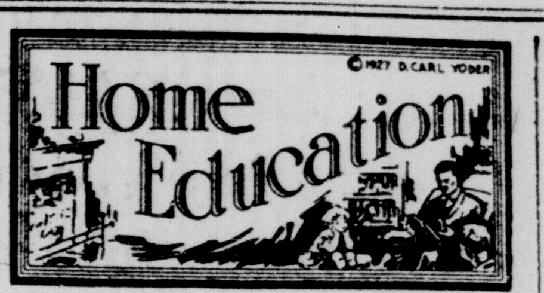
By The Associated Press.

CARTHAGE, Mo., Sept. 24.—Dr. S. B. Campbell, after 51 years of service in the Missouri Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church here, has announced he will retire from the ministry and move here from St. Louis with his wife and son, Marshall.

Dr. Campbell formerly resided here while serving as superintendent of the Carthage District. A son, J. L. Campbell, is superintendent of the Carthage schools.

The veteran clergyman began his ministry as a circuit minister at Tipton and California, Mo. Other pastorates held by Dr. Campbell include: Osceola, Nevada, St. Louis, St. Joseph and Linwood Boulevard church, Kansas City. He also served as superintendent of the St. Louis, Carthage, Kansas City and Sedalia districts.

Two years ago Dr. Campbell was made financial secretary of the Missouri conference and has spent the past two years assisting with the liquidation of the bonded indebtedness of the conference.



Home Education

Back in The Harness

Well do I remember at the end of a day on the farm, when the harness was taken off the horses, and they were turned loose, how they kicked up their heels or rolled on the ground with apparent delight. To the busy men and women, to the millions of boys and girls who have had a vacation during the summer months, there has been a sense of relief and happiness, relaxation and recreation, with time to appreciate God's out-of-doors; revived life so that the tasks for another nine months or more are taken up with new interest and zest.

With the coming of cool September days, we are gled to be back in harness again to make the most of school and college days and to render our greatest and most effective service to the world. We are like the electric current which is of no value unless it is harnessed to the motor which turns the great machines. Only as our energy is harnessed can we send out our light into the homes of the land. When we know we are pulling our share of the load, in the home, in the community and in the nation, there is a sense of satisfaction.

S. S. CONVENTION AT SALEM CHURCH

The Smithton Sunday School Convention will be held at the Salem Methodist church near Beaman Sunday afternoon.

All churches and Sunday schools are urged to have a large representation present. This is the interdenominational convention and the churches in the district who participate are Salem Methodist, Lake Creek M. E., Smithton M. E., Smithton Christian and the Smithton Baptist.

Following is the program:

Theme—"The Church Facing Outward."

Special music—J. J. Yeager presiding.

2:30 Worship Service—Dr. Wm. Reynolds.

2:45 Address, "Do We Need Religion Today?"—Rev. Ralph Fox. East Broadway Christian church.

Special Music — Columbia Jane Cook.

Report of State Convention—R. L. Curtis and Mrs. E. S. Coffman.

What contribution is our community making for moral and spiritual development?—Mrs. J. B. Ellison.

Is There A Need For Moral and Spiritual Training? — Mr. James Stevens.

Special music.

What Contribution for Spiritual and Moral can be Made?

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The 4-H Clubs—Mrs. Claire Montgomery.

Other clubs—J. U. Morris and Irvin Raut.

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Religious Drama — Mrs. Frank S. Leach.

How Can We Work Together?—Judge Dimmitt Hoffman.

Presentation of officers (county).

Offering.

Report of committee.

Installation of officers.

Closing prayer—E. S. Coffman.

Houstonia Items

(By Mrs. Bennie Martin)

Miss Ruth Killion spent Sunday in Kansas City with relatives.

Jason Chamberlain spent Sunday with his daughter, Helen Chamberlain, who teaches in the high school at Cole, Mo.

N. W. Johnson and William Jobe, motored to Allsville, Mo., Sunday for the day. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jobe and daughter Virginia will move to a farm near Allsville in the near future to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams spent Saturday in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert French and sons, Wallace, Harold and Jerry, spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends at Lansing, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Williams and little daughter, Betty Lou, spent the week-end with Mrs. Williams' brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cartee and baby at Higginsville.

Mrs. Will Hoffman is visiting her father and sister, Mr. Feasleman and Miss Hulda Feaselman at Hicklin, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burgess of Olatha, Kas., spent several days here with Mrs. Burgess' sister, Mrs. Albert Moore and Mr. Moore and family and attended the funeral service of Mrs. Burgess and Mrs. Moore's father, Will Shields at Nelson Sunday afternoon. Mr. Shields formerly lived near Houstonia.

Fred and August Dorman had as week-end guests their sister of Allsville.

Claude Cooper, superintendent of the schools at Strasburg spent the last of the week with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Willis of Green Ridge spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dorsey.

Mrs. Nettie Shields of Marshall, spent several days with relatives here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Belsha, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Belsha and family spent Sunday in Windsor.

Relatives from here attended the funeral services of W. W. Shield at Nelson Sunday.

The entertainment at the Methodist church on Friday evening given by Circle No. 1 of the M. E. church, South, under the leadership of Mrs. W. C. Westbrook was well attended. It was given the title of "College and Social" night. When the crowd arrived they learned they had to register as they entered the door and found themselves in the Westbrook University and each entered classes of education of science, history, mathematics, English music, art and medicine. After classes all entered the chapel where a musical program was rendered and each one present received a diploma that was well worth the evening of fun, enjoyed by all. Diplomas were given to all including the tiny baby, Lara Freund, son of Prof. and Mrs. Roy E. Freund, to Prof Freund, W. C. Westbrook and Rev. Jeffers. The sponsor, Mrs. W. C. Westbrook and her helpers, the lady teachers were real entertainers.

Edwin Williams and Mary Hill of Houstonia are attending business college in Sedalia.

Misses Gene Neef and Susan Higgins who teach in the schools at Strasbury, spent the week-end with home folks.

Will Shields, formerly of Houstonia, whose home was in Marshall, died at the Boonville hospital on Friday, September 17. Mr. Shields was born in Saline County, March 18, 1874, aged 63 years. He was married March 15, 1894 to Miss Josephine Kuykendall of Sweet Springs. To this union two daughters and a son were born, who are all living. His wife passed away October 29, 1914. Mr. Shields again was married to Mrs. Nettie Kuykendall of Nelson, in April 1936 who also survives him, as also the two daughters and son, several brothers and sisters. Mr. Shields was converted and baptized by Rev. R. H. Nolte and joined the Houstonia Baptist church several years ago and was a member of the Houstonia Baptist church at the time of his death. He lived many years near Houstonia, lived at Nelson in 1936, moving to Marshall this year. Funeral services were held at the Christian church in Nelson Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Ira Griffit, of Nelson. Pall bearers were friends at Nelson. A quartet composed of two men and two women of Nelson sang, "Going Down the Valley," "Cast Your Burdens On The Lord" and "God Will Take Care of You." Burial was at Nelson cemetery.

The Better Way

A Sense of Direction

Frank M. Thompson has said: "The sense of direction is one of the lost powers of civilized men. Time was when he could find his way about, unerringly. With the coming of roads, signs and maps, this gift wasted away, atrophied. Put down in an unfamiliar place and left to his own devices, he simply wanders in a circle."

The most damaging criticism of our age, is that it is on its way but knows not where it is going. In the realm of education there is no agreement as to methods or the ends sought. In the domain of government there is conflict, chaos. None striving for the same goal. In religion the situation is as disturbing. A multitude of isms, sects, are teaching, spreading divergent doctrines, all contending for supremacy. In our own land the old moorings have been swept away. The things we once trusted in no longer avail. We are drifting no one knows whither.

Long ago mariners steered their course by the light of the heavens. They could do so today, for the sun and the stars are fixed. In the fret and confusion of life, man must have on his horizon, something steadfast, unchangeable to light his way. That was the Psalmist's mood when he cried: "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth." From that vantage ground he could tell where he was going.

Do You Know Answered

1. It was referred to the council of apostles at Jerusalem.
2. James.
3. He healed a mentally defective young woman.
4. Because profiteers using her as a means of income.
5. Phillipians.

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TIGERS 'B' TEAM TO PLAY TONIGHT AT CHILLICOTHE

Brace of Games To Usher In Football Season on Saturday

By The Associated Press.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 24.—Two Big Six coaches, new to their respective jobs, today checked and double-checked their offenses and defenses as the final touch in preparation for a brace of games which will usher in the football season for the conference schools tomorrow.

Jim Yeager, whose Iowa State eleven meets a usually potent Iowa States Teachers team, yesterday hinted that the Cyclones might turn on the heat in an effort to win by a convincing margin. The youthful tutor believed such a victory would boost the players' confidence for their game next week against Northwestern.

Big Tom Stidham and a squad of 37 Oklahoma Sooners moved on Tulsa today to finish preparation for their game with the Golden Hurricane tomorrow.

Stidham announced a starting lineup of 11 lettermen, but he was frankly worried over the clash with the heavy Tulsa team. A sellout crowd was in prospect.

Other Big Six schools continued routine drills, with the prospect of scrimmages with freshmen squads the highlight of the week end.

At Missouri Don Faurot will send his "B" team into action against Chillicothe Business College tonight, and tomorrow will sic the varsity onto the freshmen.

The freshmen continued to toss wrenches into Major Lawrence "Biff" Jones' Nebraska varsity yesterday. The first-string managed to punch across two touchdowns, but the yearlings retaliated with a score against the reserves.

Wes Fry also glimpsed a glowing outlook for 1938 as the Kansas State freshmen gave the varsity plenty to worry about in a long scrimmage.

At Kansas Ad Lindsey, firm in the belief a football team is no better than its fundamentals, continued to stress that phase of the game. The Jayhawks take on the yearlings tomorrow in a regulation game.

TO MILWAUKEE IN LITTLE SERIES

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 24.—(AP)—The American Association final playoff series scene moved to Milwaukee today with the count Columbus 2, Milwaukee 1.

After dropping the first two games here, the Brewers rallied last night for a 3 to 0 decision over the Red Birds with Ralph Winegarner narrowly missing a no-hit achievement. The two hits the young right hander allowed came in the ninth inning, Max Macon and Lynn King nicking him for singles.

The playoff victor of four of seven games will compete in the "little world series" against the International League winner.

M. U. POLO TEAM TO MEET ALUMNI

By The Associated Press.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Sept. 24.—The University of Missouri polo team will open its season tomorrow morning against strong alumni four.

Capt. Charles S. Whitmore, coach, announced the varsity lineup probably would be: Jack Oliver, No. 1; Hudson Schieber, No. 2; Henry Kraft, No. 3; Jack Manning, No. 4.

Alumni expected to participate include: Clarence Jones, Sedalia; Joe Gregg, Billy Parks and Vincent Coates, all of Kansas City; Dorsey Bass and Tom McHarg, Columbia.

Fifteen freshmen have prepared for daily practice this year. The varsity schedule includes games with Illinois, Iowa State and Oklahoma.

Carnival of Champions Fight Results

Lou Ambers, 134½, lightweight champion, outpointed Pedro Montanez, 135, Puerto Rico, (15).

Harry Jeffra, 116½, captured bantamweight championship from Sixto Escobar, 117½, Puerto Rico, (15).

Barney Ross, 143, retained 147-pound crown with Ceferino Garcia, 145¾. (15).

Fred Apostoli, 159, awarded technical knockout over Thil, 159. (10).

Baseball Results

AMERICAN LEAGUE

St. Louis 9, New York 5.
Detroit 3, Boston 4.
Chicago 1, Philadelphia 0.
Cleveland 2, Washington 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York 8, Chicago 7.
Boston 2, Pittsburgh 1.
Philadelphia 9, Cincinnati 5.
Brooklyn 4, St. Louis 8.

University Letter Men of Tigers To Play "Freshies" On Saturday

COLUMBIA, Mo., Sept. 24.—(AP)—Head Coach Don Faurot of the University of Missouri named a varsity first team composed entirely of lettermen to clash with the freshmen in their annual tilt tomorrow afternoon in Memorial stadium.

A second team including nine letter winners was also selected. Heinie Mahley, Jack Kinnison, Art Murray, and Harry Mason will start in the backfield for the varsity first stringers.

Murray, 168 pounds and the team's lightest man, will do the passing, and Mahley will handle the picking. The line will average 190 pounds and the backfield 176 pounds.

The starting lineups:

Varsity	Pos.
Clyde Nelson, Granite City, Ill.	L. E.
Frank Heidel, St. Louis	L. T.
B. D. Simon, Columbia	L. G.
Huston Betty, Kirkwood	C.
Maorice Kirk, Nevada (Capt.)	R. G.
Godfried Rau, St. Louis	R. T.
Ray Moss, Hallsville	R. E.
Heinie Mahley, Kansas City	R. H.
Jack Kinnison, Coffeyville, Kas.	L. H.
Art Murray, St. Joseph	Q.
Harry Mason, Wellston	F.

Freshmen	Pos.
Ed Slaybough, St. Joseph	L. E.
Jack Landers, Kansas City	L. T.
Wm. Smith, Coffeyville, Kas.	L. G.
Don Ducheck, Kirkwood	C.
Roy Schultz, St. Louis	R. G.
Norville Wallach, Kirkwood	R. T.
F. M. Gibson, St. Louis	R. E.
Paul Christian, Maplewood	R. H.
Charles Beattie, Kansas City	L. H.
Keith Gooch, Orick	Q.
Jack Cunningham, Maplewood	F.

The varsity second team includes: Walter Boain, St. Louis; John Hogan, Wellston; Joe Jones, Stockton; William Hamann, Richmond; Mike English, Monett; Dale Everly, Warrensburg; Fred Dickenson, Independence; Jack Duncan, Cherokee, Kas.; Don Johnson, St. Joseph; Pete Ewing, Kirksville; Stan Mondala, Chicago.

Baseball Standings

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	87	54	.617
Chicago	85	59	.590
St. Louis	79	66	.545
Pittsburgh	76	68	.528
Boston	73	71	.507
Brooklyn	61	84	.421
Philadelphia	58	86	.403
Cincinnati	56	87	.392

American League

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	96	46	.676
Detroit	85	59	.590
Chicago	80	63	.559
Boston	74	66	.529
Cleveland	75	68	.524
Washington	69	74	.483
Philadelphia	48	93	.340
St. Louis	43	101	.299

VALLEY TEAMS TO OPEN SEASON

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Missouri college football teams start the tuneup process for conference campaigns today, with five games on the program. Kirksville, MIAA champions, and Missouri Valley and William Jewell, co-champions of the MCAU, are idle.

In the only game involving teams from the two state conferences, Tarkio invades Warrensburg for a battle under the lights tonight.

Cape Girardeau of the MIAA takes on the Hendrix College eleven at Conway, Ark., and the Conway Teachers invade Springfield, another MIAA member.

Rolla, a third MIAA contender, opens its campaign against the Carbondale, Ill., Teachers tomorrow at Rolla.

Culver Stockton of the MCAU gets away today against the Cornell College (Mt. Vernon, Ia.) "B" team.

Maryville is the fourth MIAA eleven booked for action this week. It is host to the Peru, Neb., Teachers College team, which on occasion bobs up with a rugged machine.

GRINNELL LOSES OPENER 6 TO 2

DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 24—(AP)—Grinnell, first of the Missouri Valley conference teams to see action this week, lost its opening game, 6 to 0, last night to Cornell College.

Drake and Washington U. will meet here tonight in the first conference game of the season. Both elevens completed preparations for the clash yesterday. St. Louis will meet James Milliken of Decatur, Ill., tonight.

Passes are expected to fly when Creighton takes the field tonight against St. Benedict. Coach Marchie Schwartz had nine men tossing passes in the Bluejays' final workout yesterday.

Tulsa, Washburn and Oklahoma A. and M. took things easy yesterday in preparation for their week-end games.

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RUSTLE OF SILKS

By Marie Blizard

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READ THIS FIRST:

Ambitious to become a dress designer, Mary Barrett accidentally meets Tony Castle, owner of a smart New York dress shop. After examining some of her sketches, he offers her a job. They see more and more of one another and begin to fall in love. During the absence of Francine Long, Tony's head buyer who dislikes Mary, the latter successfully designs some gowns for an important client, Liane Weston, a leading actress. Something goes wrong during the final fitting, the actress goes into a tantrum and Tony publicly berates himself for letting Mary, still inexperienced, design the gowns. Mary feels certain Miss Long purposely altered one of the dresses.

(NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

CHAPTER 8

EXACTLY 24 hours following the nightmare at the studio, Tony Castle brought his roadster to a grinding stop before the brownstone house on Fifty-fifth street. He ran up the long flight of steps carrying a white box from one end of which protruded long floral stems.

On his face there was a look of boyish contrition, of speculative sheepishness as he rang the bell under the neat card reading, Barrett. He pressed the bell hard and waited. He pressed it again and again.

A door on the landing opened and Johnson, the superintendent, stood there. "Good evenin', sir," he said. "If yer lookin' fer Miss Barrett, she ain't here."

"Know when she'll be back?"

"She didn't say as she knew. She jes' paid her rent, says I should rent the apartment and goes off with her trunks."

A curious sensation attacked Tony in the region of his bosom. "Where has she gone?"

"She didn't leave no forradin' address, but she told the missus she'd send one. Is there anything I could do?"

Tony rocked uncertainly. "She didn't leave any . . ." He recovered himself and presented the florist's box to the man. "Yes, you can give these to 'the missus' with my compliments."

When, two months later, Mary's letter arrived with a French postmark and instructions for Mrs. Johnson to send along her mail, there was no Mrs. Johnson to receive it. The Johnsons had moved on, and with them went the chance that Mary would ever see the note which Tony Castle wrote her that night from the very bottom of his heart.

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The tall, bronzed young man in white flannels was making his fifth turn about deck. He wasn't idling; he was looking for the girl in brown linen.

There were girls in white, pink and yellow linen and he knew most of them. That was the year when every debutante in New York was on her way to Europe for "the little season".

He didn't stop for them. He did have to stop to greet a dowager who had the place next to his grandmother's at Newport. He did have to stop to promise an Austrian countess that he would pay her a visit at her *schloss* in the Tyrol. He escaped from her only to fall into the clutches of Tommy Wister who had been at Yale with him. Meet Tommy at the Yale club, Ciro's, at Auteuil or any other civilized place and he had nothing important to say but there was no stopping him. He was hard to stop at that moment while the tall, bronzed young man tried to get away, searched the group playing deck tennis.

Ping.

A small celluloid ball struck him below the ear. And then, while Tommy launched on a story of urging his sporting club to get up something or other, SHE was at his feet, recovering her lost ball, saying "sorry", without looking at him. The girl in the brown linen!

He tried to unloosen Tommy's grip. "Listen, Tommy, I'll see you at the bar later and you can tell me about the giraffes."

"I'm Andy MacTavish of Scotland Yard."

"It wasn't giraffes," Tommy wailed dolefully after the departing figure. "Who ever heard of giraffes boxing? It was kangaroos!"

"Twenty-one all," the girl said and threw down her racquet. She had picked up her yellow sweater and disappeared by the time the bronzed young man got to the table tennis group. He looked at his watch—12:50. No good looking for her before lunch.

The hands of that watch were together at 4:20 when he rounded the deck and saw her again. Saw her rising from a deck chair. She was gone before he got there. He leaned over the chair and read the card. If he knew her name . . .

He read: Rev. August Schweizer.

He shook his head dubiously. She might be a reverend but he doubted the August.

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The bronzed young man, now in mess jacket stood a little to the right of the orchestra platform in the white-and-gold salon. He hummed the tune of the popular song as he watched the dancers:

"Oh give me something to remember you by . . . when you are far away from me . . ."

He broke off when he saw the girl in the cinnamon lace gown with her crown of coppery curls.

He didn't wait for her to circle the room in the arms of her partner—probably the Rev. August Schweizer, he thought—but strode easily through the dancers and tapped the partner on the shoulder. "May I cut, please?"

She gave him the briefest look and fitted into his arms smoothly. They danced beautifully, silently, for a few minutes.

"I'm Andy MacTavish of Scotland Yard," he said.

"So that's why you've been tracking me down?"

"So you noticed?"

She didn't say anything.

"But, my dear, such an unpleasant alias! August Schweizer!"

"I only use that occasionally. I have a number of others just as intriguing. You must try them sometime."

"Now that you're on to me . . . by the way, how did you know that I've been tracking you down?"

"I'm psychic," she answered.

Over a tiny table in the bar, with whiskies and sodas between them, she stopped him when he was going to speak. She closed her eyes theatrically. "No, don't tell me who you are. Let me see if my control is working. . . . Yes. . . . I hear the Indian calling me." He watched her with an amused grin breaking the corners of his mouth. She began again:

"I see you on a polo field . . . in a plane that drips with icicles. . . . At the wheel of a motor car. . . . Ah, it's coming . . . you're . . . you're Mark Sutherland!"

He laughed. "Right! Are you as good with cards or do you use a crystal ball?"

"I read the newspapers, Mr. Sutherland."

"Bright girl! She can read. What else do you do?"

"Work," she answered shortly.

He sighed.

"That's the trouble with women these days. Too much work. Takes 'em out of circulation. Where do you play? Why haven't I seen you around?"

"Probably because I'm not a debutante. I'm a serious-minded working girl. I'm a dress designer and I'm on my way to Paris to pick up some ideas."

She thought a small lie would do no harm. After all, it was a half truth. And there was no point in telling a young millionaire that she was a jobless working girl.

"I think I could give you a few," he said.

That had been their second night out. They'd got along famously after that. With one exception. Mark said he was sorry but he had to make passes when the moon was like that. "We'll get along better if you don't," she assured him.

"I'm a patient man. I can wait."

She laughed then. "I'm afraid it'll be a long wait. We dock tomorrow."

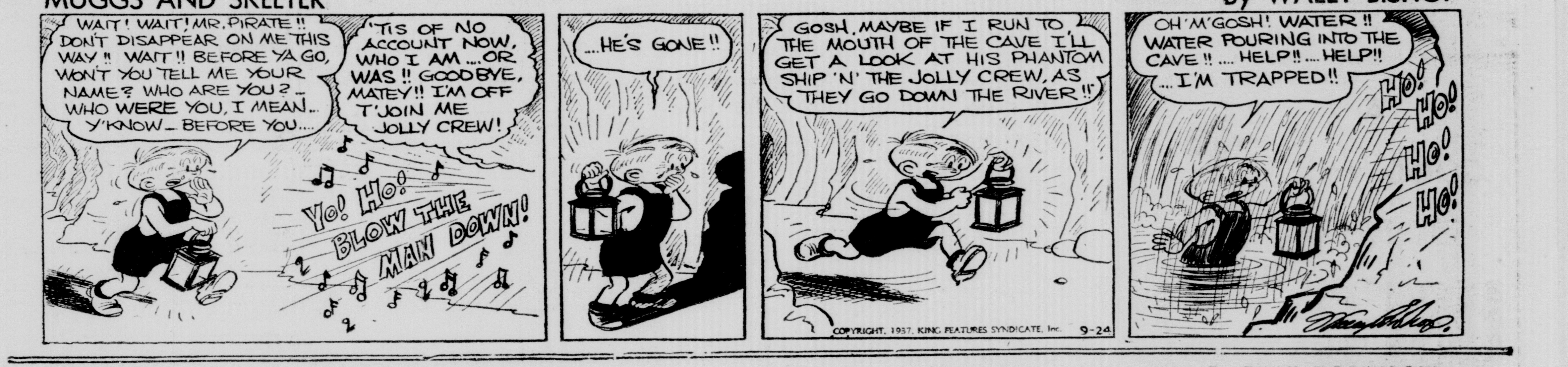
"You're going to Paris and I'm going to Paris. And you're dining with me Saturday. Where shall I pick you up at 8?"

"The Ritz," she said mockingly.

"The Ritz it is," he answered.

(To Be Continued)

MUGGS AND SKEETER By WALLY BISHOP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'TIS OF NO ACCOUNT NOW, WHO I AM ....OR WAS!! GOOD BYE, MATEY!! I'M OFF T'JOIN ME JOLLY CREW!
YO! HO! BLOW THE MAN DOWN!
...HE'S GONE!!
GOSH, MAYBE IF I RUN TO THE MOUTH OF THE CAVE I'LL GET A LOOK AT HIS PHANTOM SHIP 'N' THE JOLLY CREW, AS THEY GO DOWN THE RIVER!!
OH 'M'GOSH! WATER!! WATER POURING INTO THE CAVE!! .... HELP!! .... HELP!! ... I'M TRAPPED!!
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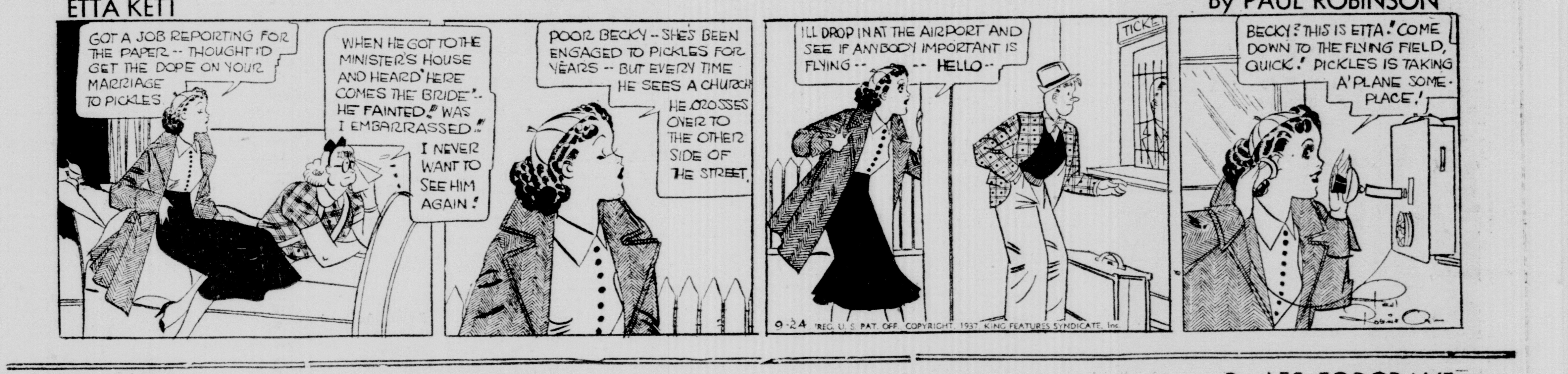
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WHEN HE GOT TO THE MINISTER'S HOUSE AND HEARD "HERE COMES THE BRIDE" - HE FAINTED! WAS I EMBARRASSED!
I NEVER WANT TO SEE HIM AGAIN!
POOR BECKY -- SHE'S BEEN ENGAGED TO PICKLES FOR YEARS -- BUT EVERY TIME HE SEES A CHURCH HE CROSSES OVER TO THE OTHER SIDE OF THE STREET.
I'LL DROP IN AT THE AIRPORT AND SEE IF ANYBODY IMPORTANT IS FLYING -- -- HELLO --
TICKE
BECKY? THIS IS ETTA! COME DOWN TO THE FLYING FIELD, QUICK! PICKLES IS TAKING A PLANE SOME-PLACE!
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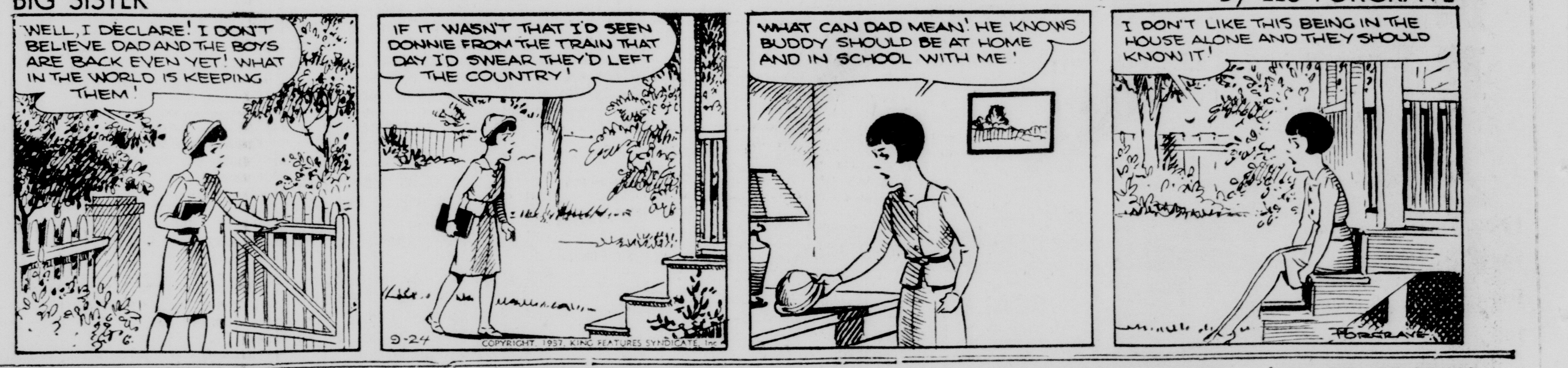
WELL, I DECLARE! I DON'T BELIEVE DAD AND THE BOYS ARE BACK EVEN YET! WHAT IN THE WORLD IS KEEPING THEM!
IF IT WASN'T THAT I'D SEEN DONNIE FROM THE TRAIN THAT DAY I'D SWEAR THEY'D LEFT THE COUNTRY!
WHAT CAN DAD MEAN! HE KNOWS BUDDY SHOULD BE AT HOME AND IN SCHOOL WITH ME!
I DON'T LIKE THIS BEING IN THE HOUSE ALONE AND THEY SHOULD KNOW IT!
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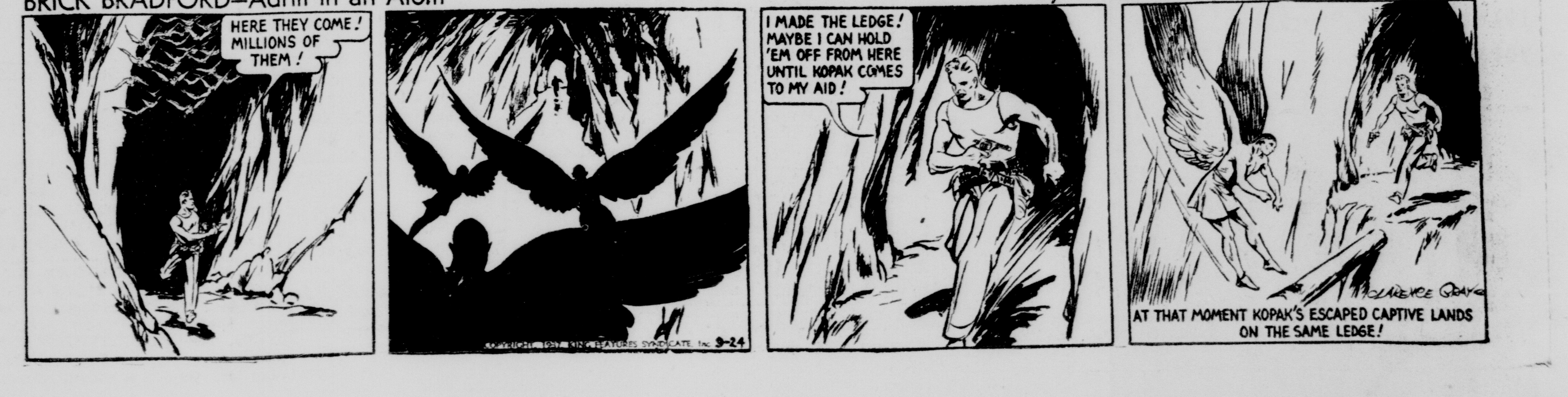
BRICK BRADFORD—Adrift in an Atom By WILLIAM RITT and CLARENCE GRAY


HERE THEY COME! MILLIONS OF THEM!
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I MADE THE LEDGE! MAYBE I CAN HOLD 'EM OFF FROM HERE UNTIL KOPAK COMES TO MY AID!
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NEW HOME 6 rooms, modern built in kitchen and bath, automatic water heater, steam heat, tinted walls. See 12th and Moniteau, side street to be graveled. Phone 2321.

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RADIO — Refrigerator service. All makes. Call Dahlke, 634 East 16th.

LEE H. PEABODY—Radio Doctor
Sedalia's Oldest Radio Service
1319 S. Osage Phone 854

For Rent—Miscellaneous

FOR RENT—Ohio street storerooms—22½ and 18x90 full basement. Good location, early possession. Porter Real Estate Co.

Houses for Sale

16 ACRES, suburban home, half cash. "G" care Democrat.

SALISBURY'S New Colonial Cottage. Fireplace. Reasonable terms. 1205 West Fifth.

FIVE room modern house, good location. Address "B" care Democrat. Easy terms.

FOR SALE—6 room house, modern, west side, well located. Kent D. Johnson, Second and Ohio. Phone 3740.

415 W. 7th—Eight rooms, modern, steam heat. Low price and terms. Slane Insurance Agency, Phone 662.

9 ROOM house, 3½ acres, good land. Will sell or trade at a bargain for livestock. $200.00. M. A. Box, 7, Clifton City, Mo.

4 ROOMS and bath, East 7th; 4 rooms, lights and water, southwest Sedalia; 6 room modern, west side; all in first class condition. Also several other houses that must be sold to close an estate. W. O. Stanley.

Used Cars for Sale

FOR SALE—Chevrolet coupe with rumble seat. 1522 E. 9th.

FORD—Model T. Good condition. Will trade. 423 E. 14th.

GOOD used cars cheap. 15th and Ohio. A. Decker.

FOR SALE or Trade—1930 Chevrolet sedan. Good condition. 112 E. Main.

FOR SALE or Trade—1936 Deluxe Ford coach. Trunk, radio, heater. Phone 1448.

Household Goods

BREAKFAST set for sale. 310 W. 5th.

FOR SALE—Gas stove. Reasonable. Phone 2422.

For Sale—Soy beans. Already shocked. Phone 1067.

FOR SALE—Good used Fridigaire. Cheap. 922 E. Broadway.

SALE—Baby buggy, good condition, also baby bed. Phone 2298-W.

ANTIQUES—Dishes, Jenny Lind bed. Mrs. Butterworth, 616 E. 10th.

FRIGIDAIRE for sale. Cheap. 1015 W. Broadway. Phone 2745. Call in mornings.

Mahogany Chippendale dinning room suite. Inquire Mrs. Joseph Waddell. Phone 636.

BEDROOM, dining room and other household furniture. Mrs. J. W. Payton, 635 E. 10th.

WE BUY Furniture and stoves. Telephone 628. Finance Outlet Co.

WE BUY and sell used furniture—Stoves, fruit jars. Men and boys good shoes wanted. Clarence Dow, 112 E. Main.

Fruits Vegetables

Leave order for pears. 1305 East 7th.

FINE Garber pears, 3 miles north 65 Highway. Wm. Brown.

GARBER pears. Fine quality. Thomson Bros., Beaman. Phone 70-F2.

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BUY G. E. Allcorn's irrigated green beans at your grocer. Extra fancy, 2 lbs. 15c.

JONATHAN apples, sprayed and hand picked. 8 miles south on Abell road. A. J. Snow.

GARBER pears, 50c bu. You pick them! Old Reed Orchard, waterworks road. Phone 73-F15.

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WIRE HAIRED Terrier pups. Excellent breed. Good markings. Phone 3134.

FOR SALE—18 head of coming 2 year old steers. D. S. Crissman, Phone 1313, Green Ridge, Route 2.

FOR SALE—150 registered boars, Druoc Jerseys, Spotted Poland Chinas, Hampshires, Chester Whites and Poland Chinas. See your County Agent for particulars. Missouri Livestock Association.

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Black dirt. 116 S. Quincy.

SALE—Stove length wood, all kinds. Phone 63-F14.

FOR SALE—Oats, barley and straw. Phone 62-F12.

FOR SALE—One large silo, cheap. Phone 25-F11.

WINDSOR screen lump coal $4.00 per ton. Phone 3785.

Windsor, Deepwater and Higginsville coal. Phone 902.

WINDSOR deep shaft or Higginsville lump coal. Phone 75-F3.

FOR SALE—Wheat drill, and other machinery. 1121 E. 11th.

MISSOURI beardless barley, good quality. Priced right. Chas. Chappell.

LARGE roll top desk, Remington typewriter, A-1 condition. Phone 135.

GOOD used Wise Hot Air Furnace No. 224. Cash Hardware and Paint Co.

COAL—Best Windsor lump and stoker coal. Buy now! Save money. Phone 968.

10 GALLON kegs and jugs. Very reasonable. Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. Phone 508.

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STOVES, Ranges, Oil Heaters, Guns, Ammunition, hunting coats, lanterns, axes, saws. Lowest prices. Cash Hardware and Paint Co., 106-110 West Main.

WASHING machines, harness, roofing, electric irons, stove and furnace repairs, stove pipe, leather glove husking hooks. Lowest prices. Cash Hardware and Paint Co.

PENCE COAL Co.—We mine and deliver direct to customer the only deepshaft coal in Henry County. Screened lump equal to Illinois or Kansas $5.00 ton cash. Phone 317. Office 1801 Stewart.

ESTELL COAL CO.—Special September delivery only. Genuine heavy Peacock lump, hand picked, $4.25 ton load lots. Best grade Henry County lump $4.50 ton. Full line of nut and stoker coals. Phone 146. J. B. Marksbury.

OWN your own forest cabin site with free access to the best fishing and duck shooting on the Cole Camp arm of the lake. Only $30.00 for 82½ by 132 feet. Terms $5.00 per month. postal card will bring full information and route map. Geo. D. Henry, 336 Bales Ave., Kansas City, Mo., Phose Ch-0898.

Poultry

FRYERS 25c lb. live weight. We raise, dress and deliver them. Will Farris, Phone 177.

Lost

LOST—Kodak pictures in envelope. Phone 2958.

LEGAL ADVERTISING

Notice to Coal Dealers

Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Pettis County, Mo., will receive sealed bids, Friday, October 1, 1937, to furnish the County with coal for one year. Said bids to be opened at two o'clock p. m. on said day. Each bidder to specify the kind of coal and price per ton. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

PETTIS COUNTY COURT,
By Wm. Rissler, County Clerk.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING.

By the City Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, on rezoning certain described property in Sedalia, Missouri.

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, will hold a public hearing (as provided for by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Missouri for the year 1925, Laws of Missouri 1925, Page number 307) in the Council Chamber of the City Hall of Sedalia, Missouri, on Monday evening, October 4th, 1937, at 8:00 o'clock P. M., on the transfer of the following described property or any part thereof from the Zone in which it is now located to a different Zone where the requirements and restrictions are different:

Lots 17 and 18 in Block 4 of Martin and Cotton's Third Addition to the City of Sedalia, Missouri.

Dated at Sedalia, Missouri, this 20th day of September, 1937.

JULIAN H. BAGBY, Mayor,
ATTEST: J. M. BAILEY,
City Clerk

Farms For Sale

240 ACRE farm, 70 tillable, balance timber. Good road. Cheap. A. L. Wilson, 113 E. 4th.

FOR SALE—80 acre improved farm, $15 per acre, $1,500 cash, balance 5%. Possession. Kent D. Johnson, Second and Ohio. Phone 3740.

FOR SALE or Trade—Well improved 7 acres, 7 room house, barn, 2 chicken houses, 2 garages, vinyard. 32nd and Kentucky. W. S. Manley.

Wanted To Buy

STOVES and furniture. Callies Furniture Co., Phone 412.

WANTED TO BUY—Fertilizer wheat drills any shape, good or bad. 1201 W. Main.

WE PAY CASH FOR GOOD USED FURNITURE, RUGS AND STOVES. PEOPLES FURNITURE STORE. PHONE 329.

For Exchange

FOR EXCHANGE for city property improved 2 acres. Kent D. Johnson, Second and Ohio. Phone 3740.

Wanted

WANTED—Couple, man employed to take care of apartment house for their rent. Phone 736.

Personals

INSURE SAFELY with Courtney. Phone 293.

CHARIS AND SWAVIS Corsetier, Mrs. Baer, 616 W. 6th. 1596.

G. W. Hamilton Furnace, gutters, parts for stoves and furnaces 861.

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PACKAGE delivery for businesses and housewives, anywhere in Sedalia, 100 lbs. 10c. Sedalia Delivery, Phone 10. B. E. Evans, Prop.

SNARE'S Re-Lef guarantees $25.00 against pneumonia if Re-Lef is used for colds, flu, infection or appendicitis. Wenner Bros.

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JACKSON AND SHIRLEY Merchant's Delivery Service to Green Ridge, Windsor, La Monte, Knob Noster every evening at 4 except Saturday and Sunday. Phone 480.

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CALL HOCKER ROOFING CO., 218 E. 2nd, Stephens Roofing Co., successors, phone 997—1444, estimates on Barretts Specification Bonded Roofs of Quality. Guarantees that count at fair prices. also repairs. Sedalia resident since 1900. General contractor 23 years.

CATTLE, GRAIN, POULTRY MARKETS

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 6,000; steady to 10 cents lower; top $12.50; bulk good and choice 190 to 230 pounds $12.30 to $12.50; packing sows mostly $10.75 to $11.10.

Cattle 2,000, calves 500; very narrow outlet for few medium and lower grade lightweight steers at week's decline; comprising mostly lightweights and yearlings to sell downward from $11.40; strongweight cutter cows up to $5.75; grass fat beef cows $6.00 to $7.50; bulls very scarce; quotable up to $7.50; vealers strong, $13.50 down.

Sheep 8,000; spring lambs opening slow; most sales natives 25 cents lower; good to choice $10.50 down; best held around $10.75; sheep weak to 25 cents lower; slaughter ewes $3.50 to $4.75.

St. Louis Live Stock

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Sept. 24.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 5,000; 250 through; 1,250 direct; fairly active; 170 poundh up, strong to 10 cents higher; liberal proportion of 230 pounds up, still unsold; 160 pounds down 10 to 25 cents higher; sows 10 to 15 cents up; top $12.50; bulk 160 to 225 pounds $12.35 to $12.50; just a few 160 pounds up to $12.60; 225 to 250 pounds $12.25 to $12.35; 260 to 300 pounds $12.10 to $12.25; 130 to 140 pounds $12.10 to $12.25; 100 to 120 pounds $11.50 to $12.00; sows $10.50 to $11.00; smooth light weights to $11.15.

Cattle 2,500; calves 2,000; 1,600 through; market slow in clean up trade, with general price trend continuing weak to lower, excepting 25 cent gain on vealers; not enough steers to warrant mention; few heifers and mixed yearlings $6.00 to $8.50; beef cows mostly $5.25 to $6.50; cutters and low cutters $4.00 to $4.75; few to $3.75; sausage bulls 25 cents lower, top $6.75; top vealers $12.00; nominal range slaughter steers $7.00 to $17.75; slaughter heifers $5.50 to $15.00.

Sheep 1,500; market steady; choice native lambs to small killers $10.25 to $10.50; packers bidding $10.00 down for remainder; throwouts $6.50 to $7.50; fat ewes $4.00 down.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 28.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs, 1,000; fairly active, steady to strong; top $11.90; good to choice 170 to 310 pounds $11.60 to $11.90; 140 to 160 pounds $10.85 to $11.70; sows $10.00 to $10.75.

Cattle 800, calves 600; no beef steers or yearlings of consequence offered; she stock slow, steady to weak; vealers little changed; killing calves slow at week's sharp decline; small lots grass heifers down from $7.50; most butcher cows $5.00 to $7.00; low cutters and cutters $3.75 to $5.00; better grades vealers $8.50 to $10.50; selected kinds $11.00.

Sheep 3,000; spring lambs steady to 15 cents lower; sheep steady; choice Colorado spring lambs to shippers $10.35; others to packers $10.15; natives down from $9.85; early sales range ewes $3.75 to $4.10.

SEPTEMBER CORN GIVEN SET-BACK

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—(AP)—September corn prices underwent 6¾ cents a bushel maximum collapse today, but most of the setback was overcome in sudden rallies at the last.

Lack of buyers willing to tie up funds in big margins exacted for the privilege of trading was a material bearish factor. So too were liberal receipts of corn, 258 cars, the largest total in months.

At the close, corn was ⅞ to 2⅛ cents lower compared with yesterday's finish, Sept. $1.10 to $1.11, Dec. 63⅞c to 64c; heat 1⅜ to 2⅛ cents down, Dec. $1.05¾ to $1.05⅞, May $1.06⅞ to $1,07, and oats unchanged to ⅜ cent off.

By B. C. CHRISTOPHER AND CO.
314½ South Ohio Street
Sedalia, Mo.

Kansas City Grain Table

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 24.—

	High	Low	Close Fri.	Close Thurs.
WHEAT—				
Sept	$1.02¼	$1.01	$1.01¼	$1.03⅛
Dec	$1.02⅜	$1.00⅝	$1.00⅝	$1.02½
May	$1.03¾	$1.01⅜	$1.01⅝	$1.03¼
CORN—				
Dec	.63⅝	.62	.62⅜	.63½

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close Fri.	Close Thurs.
WHEAT—				
Sept	$1.08¼	$1.05½	$1.05½	$1.07⅝
Dec	$1.07⅞	$1.05⅝	$1.05¾	$1.07¼
May	$1.09	$1.06⅞	$1.06⅞	$1.08⅜
CORN—				
Sept	$1.12¼	$1.05¾	$1.10	$1.12
Oct	.71¾	.70½	.70¾	.72½
Dec	.65½	.63¾	.63⅞	.65½
May	.65¾	.64⅝	.64⅝	.65¾
OATS—				
Sept	.32	.31½	.31¾	.31⅞
Dec	.31¼	.30⅞	.31	.31
May	.32¼	.31⅜	.31¾	.32⅛
SOY BEANS—				
Oct	.95	.93¾	.93¾	.95¼
Dec	.93¼	.91¼	.91⅜	.93¾
May	.95¼	.93⅛	.93⅛	.95½
RYE—				
Sept	.83½	.82	.82⅜	.83½
Des	.80½	.79	.79⅜	.80½
May	.80¾	.78¼	.78⅜	.80¼

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Wheat: 79 cars ¾ cent higher to 3 cents lower. No. 2 dark hard nominal $1.06½ to $1.18¼; No. 3, nominal $1.02½ to $1.16¼; No. 2 hard $1.00¼; No. 3, $1.03¾; No. 2 red, nominal $1.05½ to $1.10¼; No. 3, nominal $1.02½ to $1.08¼.

Close: Sept. $1.01⅛ to $1.01¼; Dec. $1.00⅝; May $1.01⅝.

Corn: 38 cars; 4 cents lower. No. 2 white nominal 95c to 97c; No. 3, nominal 92c to 96c; No. 2 yellow, nominal 94c to 96c; No. 3, nominal 91c to 95c; No. 2, mixed, nominal 93c to 95c; No. 3, nominal 90c to 94c.

Close: Sept. 96c; Dec. 62⅛c; May 62⅞c.

Oats: 15 cars; ¼ cent higher to ¼ cent lower. No. 2 white nominal 32½c to 33¼c; No. 3, nominal 31c to 32¼c.

Milo maize, nominal $1.18 to $1.35.

Kafir, nominal $1.16 to $1.30.

Rye, nominal 74c to 76c.

Barley, nominal 45c to 62c.

St. Louis Grain Market

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Cash—Wheat: No. 2 red $1.10¼; No. 3, $1.08 to $1.09½.

Corn: No. 2 yellow 95c.

Oats: None.

CLOSE—

Wheat: Dec. $1.06¾; May $1.07½.

Corn: Dec. 64⅛c; May 65c.

DAILY POULTRY AND EGG MARKET

(Furnished By Swift and Co.)

The following prices delivered Sedalia for good quality poultry—free of feed: No. 2 poultry paid for at market value.

Fowl over 5 pounds	19c
Fowl, 4 to 5 pounds	17c
Fowl under 4 pounds	15c
Leghorn fowl	14c
Springs over 5 pounds	21c
Springs, over 4 to 5 pounds	19c
Springs, 4 pounds and under	17c
Leghorn springs	16c
Cox, over 4½ pounds	11c
Cox, 4½ pounds and under	10c
FRESH EGGS	
Henneries	24c
No. 1 eggs	20c
No. 2 eggs	15c
No. 1 cream	34c

Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Poultry, live, 1 car, 46 trucks, easy; hens 4½ pounds up 22½c; less than 4½ pounds 19c; Leghorn hens 15c; springs, colored 20c; Plymouth Rock 23c; White Rock 22½c; broilers, colored 22c; Plymouth and White Rock 24c; bareback chickens 18c; Leghorn chickens 20c; roosters 15c; Leghorn roosters 14c; turkeys, hens 20c; young toms 23c; old 18c; No. 2 turkeys 10c; young ducks 4½ pounds up colored 18c; white 20c; small colored 15c; white 16c; old geese 15c; young 17c.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Butter, 8,172, weak; creamery specials (93 score) 35c to 35½c; extras (92 score) 34½c; extra firsts (90-91 score) 34c to 34¼c; firsts (88-89 score) 32½c to 33c; seconds (84-87½ score) 28½c to 31½c; standards (90 score centralized carlots) 34¼c to 34½c.

Eggs 5,167, easy; extra firsts local 24½c; cars 25c; fresh graded firsts local 23½c; cars 24c; current receipts 21¾c.

St. Louis Produce

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Eggs: Missouri standards 24½c; Missouri No. 1, 22c; undergrades 14c to 16c.

Butter: Creamery extras 36c to 36½c; standards 36c; firsts 31½c; seconds 30½c.

Butterfat: No. 1, 33c; No. 2, 31c.

Cheese: Northern Twins 20c.

Poultry: Hens 13c to 21c; Leghorns 10c to 13c; springs 20c to 22c; spring Leghorns 18c; turkeys, springs 17c; old hens 15c to 17c; spring 10c; old 5c.

Kansas City Produce

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Produce: Eggs 21½c.

Creamery butter 34½c; butterfat 31c to 33c; packing butter 18c.

Poultry: Hens 16½c to 19c; roosters 10c to 12c; springs 17c to 21c; broilers 20c to 23c.

FINANCIAL NEWS

SHARP DECLINE TO STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—(AP)—Buying support faded from the stock market today and leading issues plunged to new lows in around 2 years with losses of 1 to 4 points generally, and 10 or so in a few cases.

Unusually large blocks were thrown overboard shortly after the opening, and at intervals thereafter. The ticker tape occasionally lagged several minutes behind.

Short covering and "bargain hunting" bidding appeared from time to time and the pace slowed. Selling was renewewed near the close and prices ended at or near the bottom.

Analysts, finding little important in the news, were inclined to attribute the slump to a fresh attack of the "Wall Street jitters" brought on by a combination of circumstances having to do with trade, politics and international monetary rumblings.

Transfers were in the neighborhood of 2,500,000 shares.

Few Leaders Upon The Curb

	Close Thurs.	Close Fri.
Am. Light and Trac.	14⅝	14⅜
Arkansas Nat. Gas	5	4⅛
Arkansas Nat. Gas A	4⅞	4¼
Assoc. Gas & El. (5%)	1⅞	1¾
Cities Service	2⅜	2⅜
Cities Service pf.	29	26
Eagle-Picher Lead	15⅜	12⅞
El. Bond and Share	12⅞	11¾
Ford Motor Canadian "A"	19⅝	19
Ford Motor Ltd.	6½	6¼
National Bellas Hess	1⅝	1⅜
Standard Oil Ky.	—	18¼

Closing Of Leading Stocks

	Close Thurs.	Close Fri.
American & For. Power	5¼	5
American Smelt. & Ref.	72	68½
American Tel. & Tel.	159	156¾
American Tobacco "B"	71¾	71½
Anaconda Copper	40¾	37¾
Atchison T. and S. F.	58	55
Auburn Auto	13⅛	12
Bethlehem Steel	72	67¾
Chicago & Northwestern	2½	2¼
Chrysler	92¾	89¼
Curtis-Wright	—	4⅜
Curtis-Wright A	14⅛	12⅛
Du Pont De Nem.	146	140
Eastman Kodak	176½	169
General Electric	43¾	41½
General Motors	49⅛	47½
Int. Harvester	92	87⅞
International Shoe	—	41½
Int. Tel. & Tel.	8¼	7¼
Kennecott Copper	47	44½
Libby, McN. and Libby	12¾	11⅜
Ligg. & Myers Tob. "B"	92	88¾
Loose-Wiles Biscuit	25¾	26
Mid. Cont. Pet.	23⅞	22
Missouri Kansas Texas	4⅛	4
Missouri Pacific	—	2
Montgomery Ward	47⅜	45½
Nash Kelvinator	15⅛	14½
National Cash Reg. "A"	24⅝	23¼
North American	22	20⅛
Packard	7¼	7
Phillips Pet.	49	46½
Purity Baking	11⅛	10½
Radio Corp. of America	9⅜	8¾
Sears-Roebuck	76	73
Skelly Oil	37½	35¼
Standard Oil of Ind.	39¾	38¼
Studebaker	9⅞	9¼
Swift & Co	20½	19⅞
U. S. Steel	85⅝	80½
Westinghouse E. & Mfg.	116	111⅝

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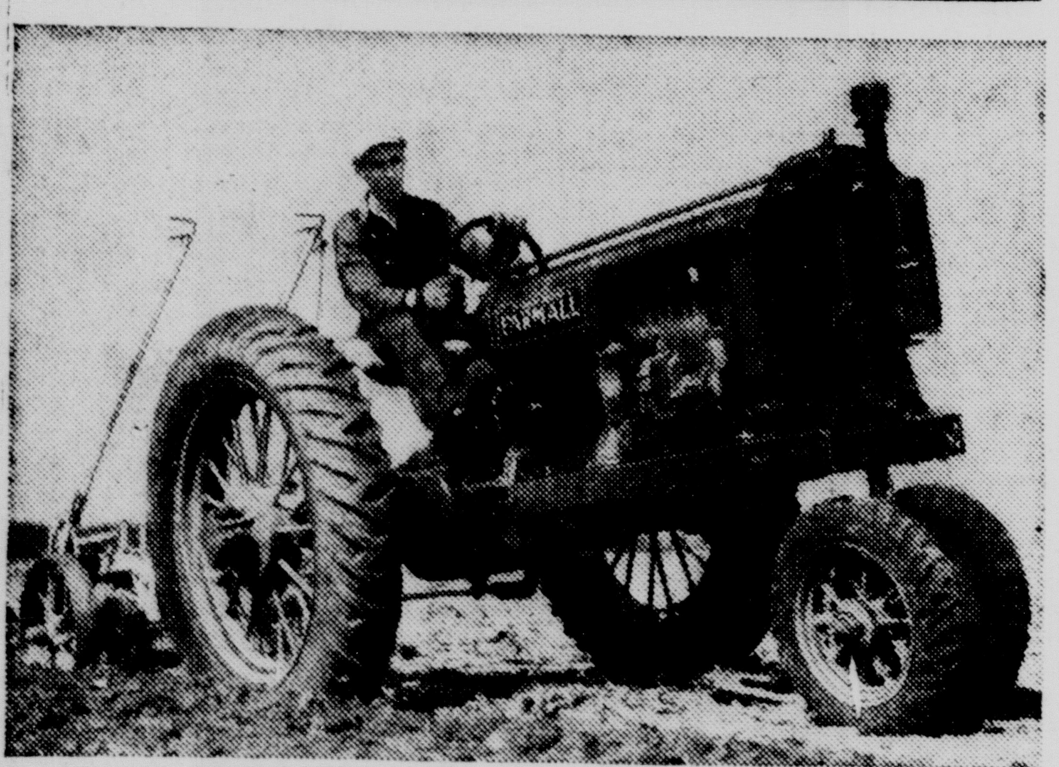
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Smithton Items

(By Esther Grotjan)

Miss Ilah Monsees of Kansas City spent Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Smith and sons, Norman and Charles of Kansas City, spent the week-end with Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Smith and family.

Misses Louise and Lorene Hoerman, Florence and Kathryn Mildred Holtzen, Mary Hotsenpiller and Pearl Ruth Bremer and Lloyd Hayden Knox and Hal Bremer attended the Jublestia at Kansas City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. ElRoy Lemke, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Houchen, Miss Dorothy Schupp, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Hoehns were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hoehns and son, L. D., Saturday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Lugen and daughter, Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lugen and daughter, spent Friday with Mrs. Arthur Lugen's mother, Mrs. Adam Reichter and Mr. Reichter.

Mrs. Tena Monsees was called to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Homan Wear of Kansas City Friday due to the illness of little Jackie Wear, who is quarantined at his home for infantile paralysis. He is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Demand and daughter, Marian, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lujin Sunday.

The Helping Hand Sunday school class of the M. E. church, met at the home of Mrs. George Green Thursday afternoon, at which time the following officers were elected: Mrs. John Schluesing, president; Miss Emma Monsees, secretary; Mrs. Harry Monsees, treasurer. Mesdames Will Griffin, Dollie Griffin and Mrs. Ira DeHaven were assistant hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Graves of Sedalia were guests of Mrs. Graves' sister, Mrs. Blanche Melendy Sunday

Mrs. B. Weiffenbach, Dr. and Mrs. E. I. LaRue were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs August Klein Friday.

Mrs. W. A. Bewley of Hume, Mo., visited from Wednesday until Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Green and Mr. Green. On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Green very pleasantly surprised her sister by having the following friends and former school mates come in for the afternoon: Miss Minnie Murphy of Sedalia; Mrs. Hugh Price and Mrs. Elon Keller of La Monte; Mrs. O. R. Demand, Mrs. Victor Hoehns and Mrs. Lester Curtis of Smithton. Contestant games were the entertainment with Mrs. Price winning the prize.

John Jeager of Weilzville, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Homan, Marjorie and Milo; Mrs. Mary Boeker, Henry and Dave Kruse were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jeager Sunday.

Mrs. Neoma Lewis of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Smith of Clifton City were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Atkinson and son, Bobbie, Allie Smith and Howard Adams of Otterville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Golder Luetjin Sunday.

Dr. E. I. LaRue left Tuesday morning for Kansas City to attend the general conference of the M. E. church to be held in Grand Avenue Temple.

The Stony Point Embroidery club met at the home of Mrs. Fritz Bolte on Thursday afternoon. A very enjoyable time was had by all.

Billie Monsees, son of Vivian Monsees was operated on for appendicitis at the Bothwell hospital Saturday. We are glad to report that Billie is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Monsees of Kansas City, are visiting at the home of Mr. Monsees' parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Monsees.

Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Carpenter and daughter, Vera Frances, of California, Mo., were Sunday guests of Mrs. Carpenter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Monsees.

Miss Virginia Connell and her mother, Mrs. C. C. Connell, and Miss Virginia Martin of Moberly, were the guests of Miss Virginia Victor, music and English teacher in the Smithton schools

Miss Minnie Scaffer, principal of Whittier school of Sedalia, called on Miss Angel Ihrig Sunday afternoon.

The equipment for the industrial arts room at the Smithton high school has been completed.

The seniors of the high school has selected their class rings and announcements.

Mrs. S. E. Bremer and daughter, Mrs. Ruby Mynatt attended the Jubilesta in Kansas City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hall and Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels and daughter, Jo Ann, went to the lake Sunday.

Miss June Winstead of Kansas City spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Winstead.

Miss Lyla Ratje, R. N., of Kansas City, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ratje and other relatives last week.

Robin Stokman spent the week-end in Warrensburg.

Mrs. H. L. Hill attended the state committee meeting of the Missouri Sunday School Council held in Jefferson City Friday and Saturday. On Sunday she visited with relatives in Eugene, Mo.

The ladies of the M. E. church canned 35 quarts of apples at the church basement Friday. The apples were donated by August Mahnken.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Monsees of Kansas City, arrived Tuesday for several days' visit with Mr. Monsees' parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Monsees and other relatives.

Mrs. Wilbur Sutherlin and infant son, William Dean, of Sedalia, are spending the week with Mrs. Sutherlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Selken.

The Standard Bearers of the M. E. church met at the home of Miss Ruth Pace Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Watring visited with Mr. Watring's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Watring of Syracuse Sunday.

Miss Emma Monsees was very pleasantly surprised on her birthday last Wednesday when her nieces, Mesdames George Luetjin, Herman Erfurth, John Schluesing, John Bolts, Stanley Kahrs, Raymond Demand, Harry Demand and Miss Clara Farner and her sister, Mrs. Charles Monsees. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Adolph Walters of Detroit, Mich., is visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Jackson and children, Mrs. Rebecca Jackson and son Jimmie visited in Marshall, Boonville, and Columbia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Klein and children of Bunceton, visited with Mrs. Klein's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lindeman and family Sunday.

Luther Lindeman, Harold Hill and Mrs. Charles Kahrs accompanied Dr. LaRue to Kansas City Tuesday. Mrs. Kahrs is the lay leader for the conference this year.

Irvin Ellison who attends college at Warrensburg spent the week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. Tom DeWann.

Leonard Hoehns has purchased a new Dodge coupe.

"Billie" Hill was the week-end guest of Mary Ellen Ripley of La Monte.

The Christian church school held their annual election of officers as follows: Superintendent, H. S. Ramseyer; assistant superintendent, John Ratje; treasurer, John Yeager; secretary, Harold Hill; pianist, Florence Kathryn Ramseyer; assistant pianist, Nina Mary Yeager. Pianist for church, Mrs. H. L. Hill.

The first basketball game of the school year was Friday night at the high school gym. La Monte and Smithton, with the largest attendance ever had. The Smithton girl's volley ball team winning with a score of 39 to 32. The Smithton boy's basketball team winning with the score 24 to 12. The following girls are on the Smithton team: Florence Kathryn Ramseyer. Martha Jane Ellison. Nola Montgomery, "Billie" Hill, Helen Smith, Hattie Rose Ellison, Jean Bolte and Mary Teeter. The boys team are as follows: Bob Goetz, Delbert Ratje, Ed G. Ringen, Hugh Ferguson, David Mahnken and Boyd Winstead.

Rev. Ray M. Brown of Lake Creek left Tuesday for Kansas City where he will attend the general conference of the M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bluhm and son, Charles and Boyd Winstead, were St. Louis visitors Monday.

Woodrow Ferguson of Warrensburg, was home for the week-end visiting his parents.

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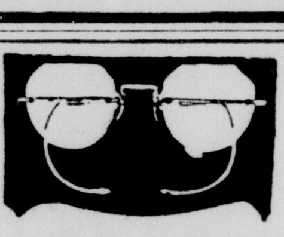
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TWO THOUSAND CHINESE KILLED OR INJURED IN RAID

Two Days Bombardment of Canton Deals Death and Destruction

ANGUISH, TERROR TO THE REFUGEES

U. S. Embassy Again In Urge Americans Depart For Manila

TIENTSIN, China, Sept. 24.—(Friday)—(AP)—The French Jesuit Mission at Sienhsien, southwest of Tientsin, one of the largest mission stations in China, was bombed today by Japanese airplanes from the base here.

American, French and other consuls immediately lodged strong protests with Japanese consular officials here.

The air raiders dropped 30 bombs. One of them struck the residence of Bishop Le Croart, head of the mission.

Another damaged the mission's large Women's hospital, which is staffed with numerous American, Canadian, Hungarian and other sisters. None of the sisters was injured.

The mission comprises 48 foreign and 42 Chinese priests and 34 sisters.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23—The United States and other leading signatories, employing as a medium the na's territorial integrity, have begun nine-power treaty guaranteeing Chi-exchanging information on their activities with respect to the Sino-Japanese conflict.

This was disclosed authoritatively today while the state department awaited a reply from Tokyo to its sharp note of protest challenging Japan's right to bomb large Chinese cities indiscriminately.

Views have been exchanged the last few days by nations most concerned over the far east's undeclared war, but there has been no indication that any nation intends formally to invoke the treaty.

Presumably, such a step would involve a call for a conference as signatories to consider what joint action might be taken in the hostilities.

Responsible quarters emphasized that no move of that character has been made by the United States.

If any other parties to the treaty are considering invoking it, this government has not been informed.

The treaty, signed in 1922 by the United States, Belgium, the British Empire, China, France, Italy, Japan, The Netherlands and Portugal, provides for consultation "whenever a situation arises which involves the applications" of the compact.

Under that authority, the United States and Great Britain as well as some of the other signatories, have been keeping each other informed of their respective views and movements.

SHANGHAI, Sept. 23.—Two thousand Chinese, most of them refugees, are estimated to have been killed or injured in two day's Japanese aerial bombardment of Canton, south China city.

The raids, today and yesterday, left weeping women and wailing children searching the ruins of densely-packed dwelling areas of the poorer classes.

Thousands roam the streets, bewildered and almost deranged with anguish and terror.

The Japanese bombing of non-combatants throughout the nation's seaboard provinces and northern areas extended to Tsinanfu, capital of Shantung province, when a lone invader flew over a suburb and loosed one bomb, wounding nine civilians.

Renew Evacuation Urge

The United States embassy reiterated its urgings that Americans evacuate to Tsingtao, Shantung port, and thence to Manila. Germans were urged to hoist their national flags prominently on all their properties.

Thirty Japanese bombers raided Kiangyin, first strong fortifications below Chingkiang between Shanghai and Nanking.

Official reports stated 55 Japanese air raiders departed from Shanghai in midafternoon. They apparently pointed their attack toward Kiangyin. A portion of the raiders were believed to have attacked other localities on the lower Yangtze river.

Japanese launched a wholesale aerial raid on Chinese positions in Pootung, below Shanghai, with 17 bombers reported participating. It was Pootung's second air raid today.

Japanese naval authorities declared the Japanese air force intend to continue bombing "in order to bring the war to an early conclusion and make it impossible for China to continue its anti-Japanese policies." They said only military establishments would be bombarded.

A Japanese embassy spokesman announced that a "peace preservation commission," similar to those created in Peiping, Tientsin, Kalgan and Paoshan, had been established at Tatung, Shansi province.

Warships Join Bombardment

Japanese planes and warships joined in today's bombardment of Canton and Haichow causing widespread damage.

Nanking, ear-marked by the Japanese for destruction as the seat of Chinese resistance, was not raided this morning, however, as the Japanese were apparently impressed by the seriousness of American, British, French and German protests against unrestricted bombardment of the civilian population.

LEE MONTGOMERY TELLS KIWANIANS OF TRIP ABROAD

"When you take a trip abroad, travel in a small, slow boat if you want the most comfort and a more interesting trip," advised Attorney Lee Montgomery speaking before Kiwanians at their noon-day meeting in Hotel Bothwell Thursday, relating highlights to his summer trip to England.

He pointed out that ocean travel aboard luxury liners with a passenger list of 2,000 fail to offer the comfort and interest of a boat of 80 passengers.

Mr. Montgomery told of the pecularities of speech, vocal intonations and accents that Americans first notice when they come in contact with the English. He spoke of the contrast between London and New York. The former city has more open spaces, parks, and squares which are frequented much more than those in the big cities over here, perhaps because home comforts are not so great in London. However he mentioned that London is a very quiet city where one can spend a restful visit.

"Soap Box Orators"

"A man in England may say what he pleases," the speaker commented. "We listened to many 'soap box' orators, some criticising the kind, some the capitalists. They had the protection of the police and could say what they wished, but would have been restrained if any violent measures were anticipated."

The tempo of London is not as fast. The people over there are more patient, more leisurely, seldom in a hurry. Hundreds would wait patiently in long lines for over an hour to gain admission to a movie.

Another thing that impressed Mr. Montgomery was the lack of high buildings. Most of them do not rise above eight stories.

He also commented on the historical records still preserved on the island reminiscent of Roman occupation days. Watling street, a Roman road still exists, Roman baths are still there, and even the language itself has evidences of the Roman influence. Mr. Montgomery briefly reviewed the subsequent Anglo-Saxon and Norman influences on the island which are still retained in the speech and habits of the English today.

He told about viewing London tower which in itself is more of a complicated fortress and armory covering 18 acres, with many towers, rather than the mistaken conception of only one.

Mr. Montgomery also encouraged his listeners to respect more the hard earned rights of liberty wrung from the Kings of England by the knights and common people. The freedom we enjoy today as a result of their efforts, is too often taken for granted.

Club guests were Judge E. W. Couey, Rabbi H. Baron, of Sedalia, and B. Reinhold of Kansas City.

This was the last meeting for Kiwanian D. H. Willet, pastor of the Baptist church, who leaves next week for Tennessee where he was called.

ACHIEVEMENT DAY PROGRAM AT PARK

Approximately one hundred county club women attended the achievement day program at Convention hall in Liberty Park Thursday.

Discussions, both formal and informal, group singing and demonstrations were a part of the day's activities.

Displays of canned fruits and vegetables, embroidery, knitting and other needle work, rugs and gardening were shown.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Claire Montgomery.

MORE TREASURERS NAMED BY STARK

By The Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Sept. 23.—Gov. Lloyd C. Stark named 17 county treasurers today, leaving only four out of the original total of 6 to be appointed.

Treasurers remain to be appointed in Ray, Ripley, Iron and Saline counties. Stark said there was little possibility these appointments would be made today.

TWO GOVERNORS CONFER ON TRAIN WITH PRESIDENT

General Affairs And Relief Discussed With Roosevelt

NO MENTION OF COURT REFORM

Rear Platform Address Is at Clinton, Iowa, This Afternoon

(By D. Harold Oliver)

ABOARD ROOSEVELT TRAIN EN ROUTE TO SEATTLE, Sept. 23.—President Roosevelt changed his original plans and decided to make his first rear platform appearance of his west coast tour this afternoon at Clinton, Iowa.

The decision was made after his ten-car special left the Chicago west side, where charges of Ku Klux Klan affiliation against Associate Justice Hugo L. Black figured in a general talk with Illinois Democratic leaders.

Rep. Adolph J. Habath, Chicago Democrat told reporters he had informed the President that the Black incident had done more good than harm.

"While a great many people think that it has been bad publicity, nothing has done more to eliminate the Ku Klux Klan," Sabath said.

Sabah added the belief that the Klan charges against Black would also "put an end" to the Nazi movement in the United States.

Mayor Edward J. Kelly of Chicago who boarded the train at the Root street yards with Govs. Henry Horner of Illinois and R. L. Cochran of Nebraska; Senator William H. Dieterich (D., Ill.), and Patrick A. Nash, Democratic national committeeman for Illinois, said the Klan incident was mentioned in a "kidding way" during their talk with the President.

The chief executive's decision to make a brief appearance at Clinton revised his first schedule to wait until the train reached Cheyenne, Wyo., tomorrow for his initial rear platform talk.

While the train was switched through Chicago Mr. Roosevelt did not appear, but Mrs. Roosevelt stood on the steps of the private car and waved to the spectators.

Also aboard the train during the transfer from an incoming eastern line to an outgoing western railroad were Senator William H. Dieterich (D., Ill.), an advocate of the Roosevelt supreme court reorganization plan; Mayor Edward J. Kelly of Chicago; and P. A. Nash, Democratic national committeeman for Illinois

They entered the President's car with Horner and Cochran. The latter planned to remain aboard until the train reached Omaha late tonight.

The ten car special, bearing Mr. Roosevelt on a trend finding trip across the continent, departed from Chicago at 12 noon (eastern standard time).

Horner said as he left the train on the west side that he had discussed general affairs and no politics.

Discussed Relief

"We discussed relief for one thing," he said. "Since they reduced WPA by 35,000 in the state there has been a tidal wave of attempts to get on general relief. Industry is doing its best to help."

The court reorganization plan, said Horner, was not mentioned.

"We were just visiting," commented Dieterich.

Smiles To Workers

Since Mr. Roosevelt has arranged to speak at the dedication of Chicago's new $11,000,000 Outer Drive bridge on his return from the west October 5, he did not appear on the rear platform. But occasionally he turned from a table near a window of his car and waved and smiled to railroad workers and others who assembled near the tracks.

Mayor Kelly outlined Chicago's relief fund deficit and requested more WPA funds.

The President's special headed west through Illinois toward Iowa and Nebraska.

No stops of the campaign-like ten-car special were planned until tomorrow when the President will make his first ear platform appearance at Cheyenne, home of Senator O'Mahoney, one of the chief Democratic opponents of the supreme court reorganization proposal.

A little later in the day he will make another appearance at Wendover, Wyo. He will top off the day with an hour's stop at Casper, home of Senator Schwartz, a Democratic proponent of the President's court plan. He expects to take a drive in that city.

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WEST MAIN STREET ROAD IMPROVED

Extensive improvements have been been made on the Main street road between highway No. 50 (Gasoline Alley) and the State Fair boulevard road and will be opened within a short time.

An oil covering is being put on the road and it is being widened two feet. This work will take several days.

Brushy creek bridge where numerous accidents have occurred and several fatal accidents resulted because of its narrowness, has been rebuilt. This bridge is now eight feet wider giving ample room for two automobiles to pass.

A light spray of oil was put on North Osage avenue between Pacific street and highway 65. This was done to settle the dust, a heavier coating is not being made because a heavy surface is to be placed this spring under a WPA project.

The other work on the two roads is being done by the Twelve Mile Road District under the supervision of Hampton Haggard.

SCHOOL HEAD IS SHOT BY PUPIL

Boy, 12, Wounds Principal Then Attempts to End Own Life

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 23—(AP)—A 12-year-old pupil shot and seriously wounded Miss June Mapes, 50-year-old principal, in Arlington public school today and then, Police Lieut. John Russell said, turned his pistol on himself.

The pupil, whom Lieutenant Russell identified as Robert Snyder, was in a hospital tonight, with a gunshot wound in the head. His condition was fair.

Miss Mapes was in another hospital, her condition so serious detectives delayed questioning her further after obtaining a preliminary report on the shooting. One bullet penetrated her abdomen. Three others went wild. Lieutenant Russell said the boy entered the principal's office about 2:30 p. m., seeking to see a 12-year-old girl pupil.

Miss Mapes instructed him to wait until classes were dismissed. She said the boy insisted upon seeing the girl at once and drew a pistol.

"I will get her," the principal then told Snyder, police said. She started for the door.

"No, you don't," police quoted the boy as replying. "You're going to use the buzzer.'

Before Miss Mapes could leave the room, detectives declared, he fired at her. He then ran from the school and through a ravine toward his home.

Lieutenant Russell said he apparently attempted suicide at his home.

Detectives were seeking tonight to determine why the boy had sought to see the girl for whom he asked.

ELECT OFFICERS AT MISSOURI 'U'

COLUMBIA, Mo., Sept. 23.—(AP)—Paul Van Osdol, Buckner, Mo., was elected president of the University of Missouri student governing association at a student assembly tonight.

Ethyl Sterneck, University City, was elected secretary-treasurer, and Eleanor Kincaid, Joplin, was named clerk of the student court. All three were elected by acclamation.

The assembly also elected the following cabinet members: June Bidstrup, Beaman; Howard Burnside, St. Louis; Ed Gaebler, St. Louis; Geraldine Wilson, Kansas City; Robert Partridge, Maryville; Lester Taber, St. Louis; Thomas Becker, Columbia; Robert Dungan, Oregon; Doyle Patterson, Kansas City, and William Farris, St. Louis.

COURT SELECTS NEGRO CATHOLIC BLACK MESSENGER

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The supreme court has selected Leon A. Smallwood, Negro and a Catholic to serve as messenger to Justice Hugo L. Black.

Black can veto the selection if he desires. A Negro messenger is assigned to each justice.

Smallwood has been connected with the supreme court marshal's office

Miss Ann Butt, who was associated with him while he was senator from Alabama, has been picked by Black to serve as his secretary.

He has yet to appoint a law clerk.

Rep. Wood Believes Black Fitted for Court

"So far as the ability of Senator Black is concerned, I believe he is fitted for the Supreme Court post," said Representative R. T. Wood here Wednesday night. Whether or not he is a member of the klan is for him to say. If he is, he should have told the president before his appointment."

POLICE GUARD FOR MUSSOLINI'S SON

By The Associated Press.

NEW York, Sept. 23.—Successfully thwarting plans for a Communist anti-Fascist demonstration, Vittorio Mussolini, 20-year-old youngest son of the Italian premier, virtually was spirited ashore, under heavy police guard, upon his arrival from Italy today.

Young Mussolini, en route to Hollywood to learn the motion picture business, was taken from the Italian liner Rex at quarantine, put aboard a special cutter and hurried to a previously unannounced landing at the 34th street pier, Manhattan.

Two police boats went out with the special cutter and escorted it in, and at the pier were an extra detail of 50 policemen.

Meanwhile crowds of Italians and other well-wishers gathered at the Rex's regular pier, twenty blocks away, were disappointed as the liner pulled in, more than an hour after its star passenger had been swallowed up in Manhattan traffic.

INSPECTION OF THE OSAGE FARMS PROJECT MADE

An official inspection of the Osage Farms rural rehabinitation project near Hughesville, was made Thursday by representatives from the national and local offices.

The project is now about three-fourths completed. Arrangements are being made for the occupation of the farms.

Those who made the tour of the farms were R. C. Smith, regional director of the Farm Security Administration, Indianapolis; P. G. Beck, assistant director, Indianapolis; Captain E. H. Crouch of the construction division, Washington D. C.; H. E. Wall, construction division, Indianapolis; J. P. Nicholson, state rural rehabilitation director, Jefferson City; Prof. Hammer, University of Missouri; O. T. Coleman, soils and crops expert of the university extension division; R. T. Wood, representative from the sixth district to congress; R. J. Nedved, chief of the architectural and engineer staff, Indianapolis; M. S. Layton, resident engineer of the project; J. A. Muster, project supervisor, and Oscar DeWolf, county FSA director.

VOTE FOR UNITY OF METHODISTS

By The Associated Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, Sept. 23—The Southwest Missouri conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, voted overwhelmingly today in favor of the proposed unification of the three Methodist church groups.

The vote was 141 to 3. This was the first conference in the state to ballot on the proposal. Six outside conferences had voted previously, all strongly in favor of the plan.

The three groups are the Methodist Episcopal church, the Methodist Episcopal church, South and the Protestant Methodist church.

These four lay delegates to the general conference of the church in Birmingham next year were elected today: Mrs. H. R. Farmer and Judge R. J. Smith, Springfield, Mo., W. L. Earp, Nevada, Mo., and I. H. Reed, Sedalia. Alternates elected were Mrs. Fred A. Lamb, Kansas City, and Henry Le Page, Jefferson City.

Clerical delegates to the general conference were to be elected at a business session later today. Dr. C. C. Selecman, president of Southern Methodist university, Dallas, is scheduled to speak tonight.

The session will close Sunday.

ACCEPTS DEFEAT IN STARK APPOINTMENT

A telegram was sent to Governor Lloyd C. Stark, Thursday by James P. Higgins of near Houstonia, who was one of the three candidates for county treasurer, regarding the appointment of Mrs. Louise Orear, who was named Wednesday by Governor Stark for the office.

The message read: "Governor Lloyd C. Stark, Jefferson City, Mo., Sorry I was not appointed treasurer of Pettis county, but I accept your appointment of Mrs. Orear with good grace and assure you there is no resentment on the part of my friends and supporters. There is not a more genteel or refined lady in Pettis county than Mrs. Orear. She is well qualified to fill the duties of the office and has been a leader in Democratic affairs for many years. Signed James P. Higgins."

The name of Mrs. Orear, that of Mr. Higgins and Karl S. Wimer were submitted to Governor Stark for his approval.

Accepts Position

O. I. Cannon, former bookkeeper at the Bryan Motor Company, has accepted a position with the Warrensburg Motor Company in Warrensburg and entered upon his new duties Wednesday.

LEGION ELECTS DANIEL J. DOHERTY AS COMMANDER

In Resolutions Urge a Big Increase In U. S. Army and Navy

FINAL SESSION OF BIG CONVENTION

A Resolution Adopted on Personal Liberty and Property Protection

NEW YORK, Sept. 23—(AP)—Daniel J. Doherty, 43-year-old Woburn, Mass., lawyer, who served seventeen months in the American navy during the World war, was elected national commander of the American Legion today.

Oppose Communists

NEW YORK, Sept. 23—The American Legion today reaffirmed its opposition to all Fascist and Communist enemies of the American constitutional system of government, recommended a bigger army and navy, and urged the necessity of protecting personal and property rights in all industrial disputes between capital and labor.

The 1,339 delegates, apparently recovered from the fatigue of Tuesday's long march in Fifth avenue, met in the Metropolitan Opera house under the chairmanship of Harry W. Colmery, national commander.

They adopted by unanimous vote, the report of the Americanism committee, condemning and opposing "all alien organizations which in our country promote loyalty to some other government or system," and requesting that congress "investigate and make public its findings on organizations in the United States which are militantly serving Germany, Italy, Russia, Spain or any other alien power or system."

The report also urged legislation to punish American citizens who advocate the overthrow of our government by force, fraud or violence, and the deportation of all aliens who advocate such tactics.

In a resolution, termed "defense of American rights," the Legion voted to reaffirm its belief in the defense of "certain basic American rights and institutions, including particularly personal liberty, private property, religious freedom, home and family, contract rights and obligations" and the enforcement by law of such rights.

These rights, the resolution said, are the "basis of Americanism."

Favor Army Increase

The delegates, meeting in the final session of what has probably been the greatest convention, adopted with whoops and shouts the report of the national defense committee, recommending among other things:

Making the export of helium gas illegal, and placing its control under the war department.

An increase of 15,000 men and 500 officers in the army in order to strengthen anti-aircraft defenses.

Reorganization of army equipment and the creation of reserve equipment.

Increase in anti-tank and anti-aircraft equipment and the gradual accumulation of ammunition to supply 1,000,000 men in the field.

Extension of the R. O. T. C. to all colleges and schools desiring it, with a six-weeks training period.

A citizens' military training camp for 50,000 men annually.

Increased coastal defense.

Support of the war department's plans for industrial mobilization.

Additional funds for aviation research.

Construction of a training airship similar to the dirigible Los Angeles.

Addition of army 800 planes annually over a 5-year period with ultimately 2,358 serviceable planes on hand.

At least one well-equipped flying field in every strategic area.

Extension of every reasonable assistance to commercial aviation.

An additional 210,000 men in the National guard, with 48 paid armory drills every year.

A naval auxiliary of merchant ships.

Other resolutions adopted included recommendations for redoubled efforts to complete a crime control program; efforts to create a practical nationwide program "to curb the alarming situation as to juvenile delinquency," and expressing appreciation to New York City and state for its hospitality.

The resolution calling for a bigger navy urged a fleet "second to none" and a marine corps of officers and men, equal to one-fifth the strength of the navy, an adequate naval and marine reserve with 48 paid drills annually, new naval reserve training ships to replace obsolete ones, additional nautical schools, the establishment of merchant marine academies, and establishment of R. O. T. C. naval units in land grant schools.

Dr. Ray O. Wyland, director of education of the Boy Scouts of America, brought convention greetings from the Boy Scouts.

He called the scouts "immediate successors" to the legionnaires.

GENEROUS RAIN FALLS EARLY TODAY

Early today this section was visited with a real rain, one that will be of exceptional benefit to fall pasturage, as it will revive the seared meadows and graving acreage to a wonderful extent.

DENIES REPORT YACHT LOCATED

Captain of British Tanker Reports He Had Not Seen Ship

LONDON, Sept. 24.—(Friday)—(AP)—Fresh mystery enveloped the fate of the British yacht Endeavour I when a report reached London early this morning that the captain of the British tanker Amastra had denied an earlier report he had sighted the missing yacht near the Azores.

Underwriters at Lloyds, who had heard the report of the yacht's safety with the sounding of the historic Lutine bell, had gone home joyfully and the city was shrouded in darkness when the radio message arrived from the tanker's captain saying that he'd seen and heard nothing of the Endeavour and that he "gravely deplored" the original statement.

T. O. M. Sopwirth, owner of the Endeavour I when it challenged for the the America's cup three years ago, expressed himself as "very relieved but by no means surprised" when told the yacht had been reported safe. He had retired when the Amastra's denial reached London. He slept unaware of the second message which is likely to transform England's relief into renewed anxiety.

Todlesbury, the fishing village where almost half of the Endeavour's crew live, had retired happily to bed after an evening of celebration. The villagers were not

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HIGH OFFICER IS KILLED IN SPAIN

Insurgent Munitions Factory Is Destroyed by Government Troops

MADRID, Sept. 23.—(AP)—A Spanish government communique declared tonight that a heavy artillery bombardment of Insurgent-held Toledo, 50 miles south of here, destroyed an important Insurgent munitions factory and critically injured General Jose Varela, one of the Insurgents' highest-ranking commanders.

Fire was said to have wrecked the factory after government batteries poured more than 1,000 shells into the group of buildings composing it, in a five-hour assault.

Insurgent besiegers of Madrid exchanged artillery fire with defense batteries in the western section of the city.

General Varela was reported to have suffered three wounds, one serious, when a government shell exploded near his position at Toledo.

STARKEY NAMED PARLEY DELEGATE

JEFFERSON CITY, Sept. 23.—(AP)—Dr. C. C. Selechman, president of Southern Methodist University, Dallas, paid high tribute to the "Great Christian influence" of Central College, Fayette, at the session of the Southwest Missouri conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, here tonight.

A graduate of the Fayette college, Dr. Selechman told of Central men he had met on a round-the-world trip and said:

"Central College alumni literally girdle the world with their leadership."

The Central A Cappella choir presented a concert tonight.

Four clerical delegates to the general conference of the church in Birmingham, Ala., next year were elected late today. They were the Rev. L. N. Starkey, Sedalia; the Rev. H. H. Luetzow, Marshall; the Rev. J. D. Robbins, Springfield; and the Rev. W. L. Perryman, Independence, Mo.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH TO HONOR REV. WILLETT

The First Baptist church will give a reception tonight for Rev. Dwight Willett, and family, who recently resigned as pastor of the church to accept the pastorship of the Baptist church in Erwin, Tenn. The reception will be in the church auditorium and will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

There will be several musical numbers and talks by officers of the different departments of the church, following which will be a social for members of the church and friends of Rev. Willett's family.

CONSIDER STEPS TO HALT STRIFE IN THE ORIENT

Great Britain Would Invoke Washington Pact As Last Resort

ANXIOUS FOR U. S. TO COOPERATE

Nine Power Treaty Considered Best Approach To Problem

By JOSEPH E. SHARKEY

GENEVA, Sept. 23.—(AP)—Great Britain was understood today to be planning to invoke the Washington pact guaranteeing China's territorial integrity as a last resort to bring Japan to an international conference to stop the Sino-Japanese war.

Such a move would have the additional advantage of bringing the United States into full cooperation on measures to halt the Far Eastern conflict—a step considered essential if the peace efforts are to succeed.

Geneva circles considered that Japan, while ignoring league nations initiatives, would scarcely refuse a ninepower consultation under the treaty she signed in Washington in 1922 with China, the United States, Great Britain, France, Italy, the Netherlands, Portugal and Belgium.

The signatories agreed to respect the sovereignty, independence, and the territorial and administrative integrity of China. These things China has charged before the League of Nations Japan is violating by an undeclared war "of aggression."

Feeling of Helplessness

The nine-power treaty is being considered as the best approach to the problem because of the seeming reluctance to do anything of the countries on the league Sino-Japanese advisory committee which have no Far Eastern interests.

This feeling of helplessness that anything can be done at Geneva arose from five considerations:

1. British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden's failure in his speech on peace to the league assembly even to hint at the possibility of successful international action;
2. Eden's return to London without waiting for the resurrected Sino-Japanese advisory committee to hold its first meeting;
3. The almost sure prospect that Japan will ignore the committee's work just as it did when the body was first formed during the Manchurian war;
4. The merely secondary role the United States consented to play on the committee, sitting as a consulative member.
5. The German government declined an invitation to participate in work of the advisory committee, "because of general conditions," the German consul general said.

MUTTON AND WOOL CLUB ELECTION

The Better Wool and Mutton 4-H Ewe and Lamb Club of the Smithton community met at the home of J. W. and Billy Rissler Monday night, September 20, at which time they completed their club work for 1937 and reorganized for the year of 1938. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

John Sneed—President.
George Demand—Vice-President.
J. B. Morris—Secretary-Treasurer.
Billy Morris—Reporter.
J. W. Rissler—Song and Game Leader.
Billy Rissler—Sergeat-at-Arms.

This club during the past year has done some outstanding work in connection with judging work, club tours, showing of fleeces in the District Wool Show, and showing lambs in the 4-H Club classes at the Missouri State Fair. Four of the members showed fleeces at the District Wool Show which was held at Sedalia this spring at which time they won two ribbons and two cash prizes. At the Missouri State Fair, a total of seventeen ribbons were won by three members who showed ten lambs. A total of $55 in cash awards was won. At the 4-H Club Tour, which was held the latter part of July, these boys received instructions in judging lambs and blocking lambs for show. They have been following the recommendations of the Missouri College of Agriculture in the care and management of their flocks.

The first regular meeting of the club for 1938 will be held the night of October 18 at the home of John Sneed. Any boys interested in becoming members of this club should attend this meeting.

YANKEES CLINCH THE PENNANT

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23—Although beaten 9 to 5 by the St. Louis Browns, the Yankees clinched the American league pennant today when the second place Detroit Tigers were beaten by the Boston Red Sox.

Established 1868 Old Series — Established 1907 New Series

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RAIN MAKERS IN CONVENTION

It might be advisable for the Missouri Farmers Association in convention today at the State Fair grounds coliseum to have a discussion on the drought. Parched fields hereabout need a generous sprinkling. As a rain-maker the association made good in a big way last year. The principal topic for discussion on the first day's program was the 55-day drought. The next day (Tuesday) nearly two inches of rain fell in this vicinity and generally throughout the state.

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Forty years ago Rev. Fr. Neiberg and the Catholic congregation prayed for rain when the drought was equally as severe. Thursday following a generous rain broke the dry spell.

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IF YOUR HOUSE CATCHES FIRE—

If your house catches fire—keep your head. Follow a simple but vital routine and your chance of escaping safely will be tremendouly increased. Succumb to panic and thoughtless activity and your next stop may be the hospital or the morgue.

Writing in McCall's, John J. McElligott, New York fire chief, points out that two-thirds of our annual fire deaths occur in dwellings, mainly because the occupants don't know how to get out. And three-fourths of these victims are trapped on top floors, because they fail to recognize the danger signals of heat and pressure on bedroom doors.

The first thing the householder should do if awakened by fire, is to feel the bedroom door panel. If the wood is hot, don't open the door unless you want to sign your death warrant. If there is an exit via a window or roof, take it. If not, stay in the room with the door closed and call for help.

If the door is relatively cool, open it an inch, with your body braced against it so it can be instantly slammed if a rush of hot air follows the opening. If the heat outside is bearable, move with the utmost speed. Don't try to save belongings. Fire travels a thousand times faster than the uninitiated realize. A stairway that is passable one minute, may be a roaring inferno the next. And once you're outside—stay out! Many a life has been lost because someone rushed back inside a burning building.

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G. O. P. DISORGANIZED

It is probable Republicans over Missouri seeking to increase their party strength encounter the same conditions which face the GOP in Kansas City. The struggle there is between the Old Guard, a discredited bunch of reactionary mossbacks who were thrown out on their ears a year or so ago and the liberal youth of the party which gained control of the organization machinery.

The Old Guard is trying to control again by resort to methods forbidden by the Kansas City charter. Many Republican young men and women there are more democratic than some Democrats in support of New Deal measures. They can see no reason, after they and their families have benefited from New Deal policies, why the Republican party cannot stand for issues of value to the individuals making up the mass of the people instead of exerting all of the party's strength toward adding to the profits of big business.

They are wise and unprejudiced enough to know, until the Republican party represents principles of moment to the people, it will remain a minority political body.

A "DEAD" MAN TELLS

From the New York World-Telegram.

Authorities of those states that have adopted the electric chair as an instant and humane way of killing criminals should listen to the testimony of A. B. Rose of Winston-Salem, N. C.

Mr. Rose an electrical engineer, was "electrocuted" when a lightning bolt surged through his body from a grounded wire he was holding. He got 2,300 volts—about the same current used in an electric chair. He was "dead" for 15 minutes before he was revived, and he described his "death" as three minutes of "the worst pain imaginable."

"I died," he said. "And I knew when it happened. Every bone in my body seemed to be breaking, every tendon snapping. A hundred million red-hot needles stabbed me. For three minutes it was like that. . . . I knew I was dying . . . and I didn't want to die. Then all pain ceased. That's when I knew I was gone. A moment later I passed into eternity. . . ."

Perhaps capital punishment by electrocution is more humane than by garroting, burning, hanging or other crude routines practiced by our unscientific and uncivilized ancestors. But we had best not be too sure that it's painless.

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Too bad the Italians refused to help hunt the pirate submarine. If the Russians are right—it would have been lots of fun watching the Italians go through the motion of looking for themselves.

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Maybe the idea doesn't intrigue you but have you ever thought the pirate submarine may be the Loch Ness sea serpent gone south for the winter season?

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AVERAGE AMERICAN

From the Houghton Line.

An average American is a man who works hard all winter to fill his home with comforts and conveniences, and spends his summer in trailers, tourist cabins, fishing boats and mountain shacks getting along nicely without comforts and conveniences.

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California officials estimate that 250,000 "transient vagrants" now are within the state.

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One consolation to us who cannot afford an ocean voyage is the fact we don't have to worry about dodging pirate submarines.

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In 1932 the U. S. birth rate reached an all-time low at 16.5 births per 1,000 population. In 1936 it had risen merely to 16.6.

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Federal statistics indicate that living costs in the United States are highest in Washington, D. C., and lowest in Mobile, Ala.

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Despite the fact that it is 500 times as sweet as sugar, Saccharin has no food value and provides no nourishment in diet.

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In the United States the bird hunting season doesn't open until October. However, over in Europe they've been taking pot shots all summer at the dove of peace.

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George Bernard Shaw assures the world there won't be a big war in Europe. That would make us fell better if we didn't recall he is the same fellow who picked Carpentier to beat Dempsey.

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A news story says ex-Kaiser Wilhelm now possesses a fortune worth more than $75,000,000. Just as we suspected all along, it must have been two other fellows who lost the war.

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An inventor has created a device which shaves the fuzz off peaches. Now all we need is a mechanism which will give a haircut to coconuts and civilization will be complete.

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The new zinc tokens of one mill denomination resemble the nickel. Now that they are in circulation in Sedalia, pity the preachers when they examine collection plates Sunday.

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When mysterious diseases for which there is no apparent cure come close to home, there is generated a mild hysteria no matter how reluctant persons are inclined to admit it. Almost any suggestion of a preventative is given serious consideration. A New York medical doctor reveals that lack of Vitamin C obtained through citrus fruit (oranges in particular) make monkeys more resistant to infantile paralysis virus. As a result of this announcement Sedalia grocers are advised to stock up on their orange supply.

ALL DAY MEETING BY P. T. COUNCIL HELD THURSDAY

Discussion on Model P.-T. A Session By Several Members

Convention Hall porch at Liberty Park was the meeting place of the Pettis County Council of Parent-Teacher Association for their all day plan discussion, Thursday, Sept., 16. The registration of more than thirty representatives from the rural P. T. A. units included officers from two of the new units, Arator and South Side. The morning program included the business meeting with Mrs. M. E. Green, County Council president, presiding. Mrs. P. R. Burford, Sedalia District president, assisted in the discussion of unit plans.

The group enjoyed the convenience of the park facilities for the serving of the delicious picnic lunch, to which all had contributed, at the noon hour.

The afternoon program started with a discussion of a model P. T. A. meeting with parts of the business meeting given by different members. Short talks on duties of committees were given on program by Mrs. Burford; membership, Mrs. Paul Baum, president of the Liberty P. T. A.; publicity, Miss Mamie McCormick, publicity chairman of the County Council; legislation, Mrs. C. E. Carroll, legislative chairman of the County Council; hospitality, Miss Laura Ann Riley, program chairman of Walnut Grove P. T. A.

The P. T. A. News Sheet for September was distributed to the different units represented. This News Sheet will be distributed each month of th school year. Back copies of the "Child Welfare" magazine were available for loan to the different units for a period of two weeks or longer.

Mrs. Burford announced that the Sedalia District Conference would be held at Marshall, Monday, Sept. 27. Any of the local units members who plan to go to Marshall for the conference may call either Mrs. Burford or Mrs. Green if they wish to arrange for transportation.

Guests, who registered, other than members of the rural units were: Mrs. R. E. Gerster, Broadway P. T. A., Sedalia; Mrs. Ernest Linder, Oak Grove, District No. 100; Miss Marjorie Rector, secretary in the county superintendent's office; Mrs. Wiliam Reed, president of the Sedalia Council, and Mr. C. F. Scotten, county superintendent of schools.

Lincoln Items

(By Maye Messersmith)

Joe Hunt and his sisters, Mrs. Allie Parker and Mrs. Mollie Booker all of Leeton were guests last Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hunt.

The Lincoln W. P. F. A. met last Wednesday with Mrs. S. O. Stratton in an all day meeting. The day was spent in quilting for the hostess, and a delicious luncheon was served at the noon hour. Several guests were present in addition to the regular members.

Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Crites and daughter, Mrs. Homer Howell and her interesting twin daughters, Diane and Joan, all of Belle, Calif., arrived here last Saturday afternoon for a visit with Mrs. Crites' mother and sister, Mrs. Jane and Miss Mabel Carpenter, and with her brother, Charles H. Carpenter and family and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ivy Mothersbaugh returned home last Thursday from Joplin where she had been helping to care for the 7½ pound daughter of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Berry. The young lady has been named Eleanor Yvonne.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Henry and daughter, Virginia May, W. A. Owen and Mrs. Theodore Fischer and baby returned last Friday afternoon from Wever, Ia., where they had visited Mrs. Cora Sweeney and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sweeney and their young son, Kenneth William. Mrs. H. W. Kelb returned home with them following a few weeks stay with Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney.

Mrs. Ella Whisler left Saturday morning for Centerview, Mo., following a visit here with Mrs. N. L. Whisler.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Margaret Kreissler Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kreissler of Appleton City; Mr. and Mrs. August Gerken and Earl Kreissler of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Claus Goosen and daughter, Mr. and Mrs Charley Keseman and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gerken and family.

Miss Alice Kays of Warsaw visited here Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gerken and Mr. and Mrs. August Gerken and Earl Kreissler, all of Kansas City were here Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Henry Schenewark, Sr.

Misses Mary Charlotte West and Alice Kays went to Kansas City Tuesday where Miss West will again attend St. Teresa's College.

Mrs. O. L. Cuddy and daughter, Marie returned home Sunday from St. Louis where they had spent the past two weeks with Mrs. Cuddy's sons and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Orville L. Cuddy, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cuddy and son, Larry Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Olney Cuddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bohon of Sedalia and Mr. and Mrs. George M. Jones spent Sunday and Monday at Eldorado Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hunt visited Sunday in Eldorado Springs with Mrs. Hunt's brother B. B. McCrary.

Miss Louise Brill left last Sunday day for Emporia, Kas., where she is taking a course in library work at the State Teachers college.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wisdom of Green Ridge were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Jr., were guests Saturday and Sunday of Senator Searcy at Eminence, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Henry and son, Dale of Holdin; Oren Henry of Warrensburg; E. A. Williams and S. H. Williams were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. W. Merlin Henry. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Attwood and two daughters, Mary Laverne and Doris Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Henry and daughter, Virginia May.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Redman of Harrisonville visited here Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barton of Kansas City visited here Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Ellen Bradway.

Mrs. Fred Umstead and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry and son, all of Ionia visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey T. Berry Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gerken and two daughters of Humboldt, Kas., were here Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Henry Schenewark, Sr.

Mrs. Fannie Mothersbaugh and daughter, Dorothy were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mothersbaugh and son in Sedalia.

Mrs. J. A. Benz spent a few days the first of this week in Warsaw with her brother, C. C. Rhodes while Mrs. Rhodes visited her father in Ionia, who is ill.

Mrs. Amy Kahl Rhodes had as her dinner guests Sunday, Mrs. Bessie Orr Nixon and daughter, Mary Orr Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pohl and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Fristoe.

Mrs. W. A. Lockard and son, Billy Reed, Misses Gertrude Lockard and Leona Henry attended the Baptist Workers Conference at the Mt. Pleasant church last Monday.

Fred Briggs of Sedalia has been elected to teach English and Science in the Lincoln high school. This extra teacher was made necessary because of the large enrollment in the high school, making five instructors in this section of the school, Superintendent Willard V. Owens, Misses Leona Whittom, Gladys McCandless, Virginia Ficklin and Mr. Briggs, with Miss Glenn Dell Carpenter as librarian and study hall supervisor. The enrollment by grades is, Freshman, 45; sophomores, 29; junior, 34, senior, 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gallet of Kansas City visited here Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Attwood and daughters and Mrs. Alice Attwood. Mrs. Gallet was Miss Cleo McMurdo before her marriage and is a grand-daughter of Mrs. Alice Attwood.

Mrs. C. D. Brill and daughter, Dorothy Ann and Mrs. J. L. Attwood were in Windsor last Friday where Mrs. Brill visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd and Mrs. Attwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Attwood and Mrs. Stella Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kelb and family of Ionia were guests Saturday night and Sunday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kelb.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Lumpe and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lumpe were dinner guests last Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moellman in Cole Camp.

Mrs. Ernest F. Muller and two children of Cole Camp spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lumpe and other relatives.

Mrs. Alvin Groomer and two children and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kennedy, all of Warsaw, visited here Sunday afternoon in the Pohl and Davis homes.

Rev. W. W. Gibbany of Jefferson City filled his regular appointment at the Christian church here Sunday and was entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Brady.

Drs. W. Thornblake, W. Love and Harold Funsch, all of St. Louis, all classmates of Dr. Richard H. Ray were guests here the past week end in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Ray.

Henry Bruns, Jr., and Sam Cox, both of Green Ridge visited here Sunday in the home of Henry Bruns, Sr., and Mrs. Annie Vogler. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bruns were afternoon callers.

Harvey T. Berry, Harrison F. Brill and Eugene M. Nash left last Wednesday for Minnesota on a fishing trip. Communications received from them indicate that they are enjoying good fishing and a pleasant time.

Cecil O. Davis returned last Thursday from the Bothwell hospital where he had been a patient for a week. He is steadily improving in health and is able to be out but still cannot attend to business at the store.

Miss Mary Lucille Stober who is attending Indian Village school in the suburbs of Kansas City, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stober.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Buehler of Cole Camp and Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Buehler of San Bernardino, Calif., were here Monday afternoon calling on relatives and friends. This was Paul's first visit back to his old home in 19 years.

FRANK R. MURRAY WEDS MISS RUBY CAIN AT PARIS

The marriage of Miss Mary Ruby Cain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cain of Paris, Mo., was celebrated last Sunday night in Shelbina, Mo., when the young lady became the wife of Frank R. Murray, of the CCC camp near Paris.

The groom is twenty-one years old and the young bride sixteen.

Mr. Murray is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Murray of 434 East Saline street, and one of nineteen children.

PORK SPECIAL TO MARSHALL OCT. 7

That Missouri produces enough pork in a single year to not only feed its own people, but sufficient to provide a year's pork supply for a population equal to the cities of Chicago, Boston, Baltimore and Denver, is one of the striking facts which will be brought out in an exhibit by the National Live Stock and Meat Board on a special pork train, which will make a 10-stop tour through Missouri over the Alton railroad, beginning on October 4, and continuing until October 8.

The board's exhibit will also call attention to the progress of Missouri in the swine industry, by showing that it ranks fourth among all states in pork production. On January 1, this year, there was a total of 2,565,000 hogs on the farms of this state. One out of every 17 hogs in the United States is located on a Missouri farm. Showing the density of the hog population of the state, the exhibit will bring out that there is an average of 37.3 hogs on every square mile (640 acres) in the state.

Of interest, not only because it will show the high rank which Missouri occupies in furnishing the nation's pork, but also because it will stress other important facts concerning this food, the board's exhibit should appeal to producers, retailers, housewives and consumers generally.

The pork train will stop at Marshall, Mo., on Thursday morning, October 7, at 8 a. m. which will be the nearest point for Pettis county people to attend.

HOMEMAKERS OF HOPEWELL MET

The Hopewell Homemakers Club held its regular meeting Thursday, September 16th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Walters of Sedalia Route 4 with Miss Betty Lou Renno and Helen Walter assisting hostesses.

At the noon hour a delicious repast was served to which all contributed.

The singing of "Stars of a Summer Night" opened the business meeting which was in charge of the president Mrs. Allen Payne.

Mrs. Claire Montgomery was present and talked on foundations of undergarments.

From the summer's work they planned an exhibit to be placed at the county meeting and centennial to be held on Thursday September 23rd at the park.

The remainder of the evening was spent in filling out the standard of achievement blank.

Mrs. T. A. Leftwich was chosen to attend the clothing project meeting Friday.

There were twenty members present and the following visitors:

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Hyatt, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thomas, Mrs. J. H. Salmon, Mrs. Lawrence Ramey, Miss Merlin Payne, Miss Hazel Ramey and Miss Ruth Mayo.

The October meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Roy Stewart with Mrs. Pete McFarland and Mrs. T. A. Leftwich assistant hostesses.

The topic for next meeting will be "Handwork."

CHARGES ON TWO IN FATAL ACCIDENT

By The Associated Press.

NEOSHO, Mo., Sept. 18.—Charges have been filed against two men as an outgrowth of the death last night of John B. Brown, 52, Pierce City, who was struck by a motor car, Prosecutor Wayne Slankard said tonight.

Harry Wright, about 37, Springfield, was arraigned this afternoon in justice court on a charge of leaving the scene of an accident. Wright, according to Slankard, allegedly drove the car that killed Brown.

Claude Williams, 35, Diamond was charged with driving a car while intoxicated. It was when his car stalled that his companion, Brown, alighted and attempted to flag a second car only to be killed, Slankard said.

L. Burnett, 35, Springfield, said by Slankard to have been in the car with Wright, is being held, the prosecutor said, as a material witness until after an inquest scheduled for Tuesday.

SEDALIAN WINS ARCHERY CONTEST

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., Sept. 20.—J. E. Daniel of Independence won the Missouri men's archery championship here Sunday with a score of 907. Mrs. Frank P. McNalley, St. Louis, won the women's title with 746.

Harry Collins, Sedalia, won the class B men's title with 715. Howard Wilson of Springfield took the junior boy's event with 897.

I. R. Malott of Ottawa, Kas., won the open shoot for distance at 319 yards, 2 feet and 2 inches.

QUISENBERRY HOMEMAKERS CLUB IN ALL-DAY MEET

After having August as a vacation month for its club the Quisenberry Homemakers met at Mrs. Henry Cook's for an all day meeting Wednesday, September 15. The project work of the month "Cosmetics" was in charge of Mrs. L. H. Haggard.

Mrs. Haggard presented Mrs. B. P. Costello, who gave a demonstration of a facial, which was much enjoyed by all present.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. E. B. Helman, Mrs. R. S. Haggard served in that capacity.

The program committee presented Mrs. Wm. Courtney, on of the members who had returned recently from a vacation trip to Old Mexico. Mrs. Courtney gave an interesting account of her trip, which proved both entertaining and instructive.

Mrs. P. S. Read also gave a brief talk on her trip to Dallas and Ft. Worth, Texas.

The project "Handwork" will be given at our October meeting at the home of Mrs. C. W. Chappell and members are asked to bring any old handwork they may have, including knitting or crochet work, old rugs, quilts or antiques, etc.

MRS. HATFIELD OF VERSAILLES DIES

Mrs. Phila Hatfield, 79 years old, died at her home in Versailles late Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Hatfield is survived by one son, F. M. Hatfield, 302 West Third street, Sedalia; a daughter, Mrs. D. E. Hulett, Versailles; two sisters, Mrs. Effie Kaufman, Versailles, and Mrs. Lizzie Gehrs, Stover; four brothers, O. L. Sanford, Shawnee, Kan.; Orva Sanford, Stover; C. G. and Dana Sanford, both of Versailles; two grandsons, Harry and Edwin Hatfield and one granddaughter, Grace Dree Hulett.

Thomas Jewel Snorgrass Dies

Thomas Jewel Snorgrass, 1500 South Prospect avenue, passed away suddenly about 11:30 o'clock Friday morning at his home.

Dr. Gordon Stauffacher, coroner, who was notified, viewed the body and ordered it taken to the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel. He stated an inquest was not necessary.

Mr. Snorgrass was born in 1890 in Henry county and came to Sedalia to reside about fifteen years ago. He was a former employe at the Missouri Pacific shops.

Surviving are the following children: Mrs. Leta Pirtle of 1407 East Thirteenth street, Mrs. Elwood Thompson of 1505 South Quincy avenue, Mrs. Paul Smith, 523 West Third street, Miss Mary Snorgrass of the family home. Two brothers also survive, Arthur Snorgrass of Clinton and Robert Snorgrass of Frankford, Ind.

WALNUT GROVE P. T. A. HOLDS MEETING FRIDAY

A very pleasing and instructive program was given by the Walnut Grove P. T. A. Friday night, September 19. After a short business session the following program was presented by the program chairman, Miss Laura Ann Riley:

Rhythm band, "Country Gardens"—School.

Solo—Minnietta Mosby.

Views and explanations of the new course of study—Miss Irene Smiley.

Violin solo—Rose Marie Reed, accompanied by Mrs. Glen Kirkpatrick.

Address—Mrs. William Reed.

Song, "Old Black Joe"—School.

Solo, "When My Dream Boat Comes Home"—Miss Laura Ann Riley, accompanied by Miss Thelma Brunckhorst.

Violin selection—Ralph Mosby.

Piano solo, "God Be With You 'Till We Meet Again"—Miss Thelma Brunckhorst.

BANKERS TO MEET HERE NEXT YEAR

WARRENSBURG, Mo., Sept. 18.—(AP)—A. Lee Smiser, cashier of the Citizens bank here, was named chairman of group four of the Missouri Bankers Association at a meeting here Friday. M. E. Holcomb, Harrisonville, was elected secretary.

Among those on the program for the group meeting, which included 14 counties, were C. A. Wisdom, Green Ridge, president of Missouri Bankers Association; Frank D. Hamilton, Liberty; Richard M. Duncan, St. Joseph, and H. Kleine, Jr., Slater.

The 1938 meeting will be held in Sedalia.

ARATOR PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING

The Arator Parent-Teachers Association met in regular session Friday night at the school.

The program, which opened with the group singing "Smiles," was in charge of Miss Gladys Ferguson. Mrs. Ernest Schlobohm, president, presided over the business meeting.

A musical program followed a health talk by Miss Gladys Ferguson. Numbers on the program were:

"Drifting"—piano, Rose Alice Woods.

"The Tale of the Bear"—piano, Elladean Brenton.

Waltz—piano, Irene May.

Lilac Waltz-duette, Dorothy and Patty Youngkamp.

Refreshments and a social hour followed a play "Health," given by pupils of the school.

PLEDGE SUPPORT FOR CLARK IN NEXT CAMPAIGN

FLAT RIVER, Mo., Sept. 17.—(AP)—The St. Francois County Democratic committee was pledged today to support U. S. Senator Bennett Champ Clark of St. Louis in his campaign for reelection. Senator Clark has made no formal announcement of his candidacy.

Files Divorce Suit

A divorce petition was filed in circuit court Saturday afternoon by Eva Hayes against Elmer L. Hayes, to whom the plaintiff states she was married in Dallas county Mo., September 24, 1906, she further stated they seperated on August 27, 1937.

Marriage License Issued

Edward L. Hood, Flagstaff, Ariz., and Meta F. Pake, Smithton.

C. F. SCOTTEN TO JOIN PILGRIMAGE OF THE LEGION

To Take Trip Abroad After Convention In New York City

County Superintendent of Schools C. F. Scotten, left Friday morning for Kansas City, accompanied by Mrs. Scotten, and will leave for St. Louis to join a special train composed of American Legion members who will attend the national convention being held in New York City September 20-23. Mrs. Scotten will return home Monday, after visiting with friends in Kansas City.

Mr. Scotten after attending the national convention will join the American Legion Pilgrimage to Europe, sailing on the Bremen September 23.

The pilgrimage will arrive at Southampton, England, September 28 going directly to London and from then on they will visit the following places in England, Oxford, Stratford on Avon, Leamington, London, Dover, Calais, then to France, Belgium, Germany, Italy visiting the following places: Paris, Brussels, Amsterdam, Marken, Hague, Cologne, Coblenz, Rhine, Heidelberg, Lucerne, Luganp, Bellagio, Milan, Venice, Florence, Rome, Pompeii, Naples, and sailing from Naples aboard the Rex returning to the United States via Genoa and Nice France.

He is expected to arrive back in Sedalia about the middle of November.

Educators In Office.

During his absence the following educators will be in charge of the office in the court house: Mrs. Marjorie Neff Hoy, Rural School Supervisor, in the office on the following Saturdays from the hours of 9 o'clock in the morning until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, September 18, October 2, October 16, October 30, and November 13.

Miss Mary Sue Hopkins, Rural School Supervisor of Central Missouri will be at the office on Saturday, September 25, October 23, November 6.

Mr. Roy E. Freund, Superintendent of Schools at Houstonia will be in the office on Saturday, October 9.

Miss Marjorie Rector, office secretary, will be at the office daily.

Anyone interested in extension work from the Teachers College at Warrensburg are requested to notify those in charge of the County Superintendent's office the courses desired.

BOYS TAKING CAR FIGURE IN WRECK

A Ford V-8 coupe used as a pick-up, owned by the Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Co., driven here by W. C. Spillman, allegedly stolen from its parking place on the east side of the court house about 8:30 o'clock Saturday night by two boys was wrecked when the two boys endeavored to make a hurried getaway and crashed into the rear of a parked car on Fifth street, the court house side of the street, a few seconds later.

The boys racing the motor of the car, backed away from the curb and endeavored to speed south, when a car approaching from the east on Fifth street, caused them to swerve to the west. The driver unable to straighten the car drove it into the rear of the Chevrolet knocking it over an eight inch curb.

The two jumped from the car and ran north across the court house lawn and disappeared down an alley between Third and Fourth street west from Lamine avenue.

The Chevrolet is owned by O. V. Singleton, Benton county farm extension agent, who was down town with his family shopping. Willard Glenn, also of Warsaw who accompanied Mr. Singleton to Sedalia was sitting on a bench by which the boys ran, but he was unable to give chase because of a sore foot. Another boy followed the two to the alley but they out-distanced him and disappeared.

Mr. Spillman, who resides at LaMonte, had driven to Sedalia to attend the picture show, parked the car on Lamine avenue about 7:30 o'clock in the evening and did not know of it being taken until about 9:45 o'clock.

The right front fender and light was badly smashed on the Ford while the rear bumper and trunk on the Chevralet was smashed in.

FIRE DAMAGES A BARN ALSO A RESIDENCE

Fire of undetermined origin caused about $50 damage to a barn and residence of Helen Homan, at 216 East St. Louis street, at 7:23 o'clock Saturday night.

The fire which started in the barn behind the house caused considerable damage to the barn and slightly damaged the house which was nearby.

In order to reach the fire with a stream of water the firemen had to lay 550 feet of hose as the nearest fire plug was nearly two blocks away. Both fire companies answered the alarm.

New Role for Nu[illegible]!

"Are you the trai[illegible] nurse mother said was comi[illegible] o stay with us?"

"Yes, I'm the trained [illegible] se."

"Well, come on then! [illegible] e having a circus out in the [illegible], and we want to see you[illegible] your tricks."

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RAIN MAKERS IN CONVENTION

It might be advisable for the Missouri Farmers Association in convention today at the State Fair grounds coliseum to have a discussion on the drought. Parched fields hereabout need a generous sprinkling. As a rain-maker the association made good in a big way last year. The principal topic for discussion on the first day's program was the 55-day drought. The next day (Tuesday) nearly two inches of rain fell in this vicinity and generally throughout the state.

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Forty years ago Rev. Fr. Neiberg and the Catholic congregation prayed for rain when the drought was equally as severe. Thursday following a generous rain broke the dry spell.

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IF YOUR HOUSE CATCHES FIRE—

If your house catches fire—keep your head. Follow a simple but vital routine and your chance of escaping safely will be tremendouly increased. Succumb to panic and thoughtless activity and your next stop may be the hospital or the morgue.

Writing in McCall's, John J. McElligott, New York fire chief, points out that two-thirds of our annual fire deaths occur in dwellings, mainly because the occupants don't know how to get out. And three-fourths of these victims are trapped on top floors, because they fail to recognize the danger signals of heat and pressure on bedroom doors.

The first thing the householder should do if awakened by fire, is to feel the bedroom door panel. If the wood is hot, don't open the door unless you want to sign your death warrant. If there is an exit via a window or roof, take it. If not, stay in the room with the door closed and call for help.

If the door is relatively cool, open it an inch, with your body braced against it so it can be instantly slammed if a rush of hot air follows the opening. If the heat outside is bearable, move with the utmost speed. Don't try to save belongings. Fire travels a thousand times faster than the uninitiated realize. A stairway that is passable one minute, may be a roaring inferno the next. And once you're outside—stay out! Many a life has been lost because someone rushed back inside a burning building.

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G. O. P. DISORGANIZED

It is probable Republicans over Missouri seeking to increase their party strength encounter the same conditions which face the GOP in Kansas City. The struggle there is between the Old Guard, a discredited bunch of reactionary mossbacks who were thrown out on their ears a year or so ago and the liberal youth of the party which gained control of the organization machinery.

The Old Guard is trying to control again by resort to methods forbidden by the Kansas City charter. Many Republican young men and women there are more democratic than some Democrats in support of New Deal measures. They can see no reason, after they and their families have benefited from New Deal policies, why the Republican party cannot stand for issues of value to the individuals making up the mass of the people instead of exerting all of the party's strength toward adding to the profits of big business.

They are wise and unprejudiced enough to know, until the Republican party represents principles of moment to the people, it will remain a minority political body.

A "DEAD" MAN TELLS

From the New York World-Telegram.

Authorities of those states that have adopted the electric chair as an instant and humane way of killing criminals should listen to the testimony of A. B. Rose of Winston-Salem, N. C.

Mr. Rose an electrical engineer, was "electrocuted" when a lightning bolt surged through his body from a grounded wire he was holding. He got 2,300 volts—about the same current used in an electric chair. He was "dead" for 15 minutes before he was revived, and he described his "death" as three minutes of "the worst pain imaginable."

"I died," he said. "And I knew when it happened. Every bone in my body seemed to be breaking, every tendon snapping. A hundred million red-hot needles stabbed me. For three minutes it was like that. . . . I knew I was dying . . . and I didn't want to die. Then all pain ceased. That's when I knew I was gone. A moment later I passed into eternity. . . ."

Perhaps capital punishment by electrocution is more humane than by garroting, burning, hanging or other crude routines practiced by our unscientific and uncivilized ancestors. But we had best not be too sure that it's painless.

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Too bad the Italians refused to help hunt the pirate submarine. If the Russians are right—it would have been lots of fun watching the Italians go through the motion of looking for themselves.

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Maybe the idea doesn't intrigue you but have you ever thought the pirate submarine may be the Loch Ness sea serpent gone south for the winter season?

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AVERAGE AMERICAN

From the Houghton Line.

An average American is a man who works hard all winter to fill his home with comforts and conveniences, and spends his summer in trailers, tourist cabins, fishing boats and mountain shacks getting along nicely without comforts and conveniences.

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California officials estimate that 250,000 "transient vagrants" now are within the state.

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One consolation to us who cannot afford an ocean voyage is the fact we don't have to worry about dodging pirate submarines.

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In 1932 the U. S. birth rate reached an all-time low at 16.5 births per 1,000 population. In 1936 it had risen merely to 16.6.

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Federal statistics indicate that living costs in the United States are highest in Washington, D. C., and lowest in Mobile, Ala.

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Despite the fact that it is 500 times as sweet as sugar, Saccharin has no food value and provides no nourishment in diet.

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In the United States the bird hunting season doesn't open until October. However, over in Europe they've been taking pot shots all summer at the dove of peace.

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George Bernard Shaw assures the world there won't be a big war in Europe. That would make us fell better if we didn't recall he is the same fellow who picked Carpentier to beat Dempsey.

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A news story says ex-Kaiser Wilhelm now possesses a fortune worth more than $75,000,000. Just as we suspected all along, it must have been two other fellows who lost the war.

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An inventor has created a device which shaves the fuzz off peaches. Now all we need is a mechanism which will give a haircut to coconuts and civilization will be complete.

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The new zinc tokens of one mill denomination resemble the nickel. Now that they are in circulation in Sedalia, pity the preachers when they examine collection plates Sunday.

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When mysterious diseases for which there is no apparent cure come close to home, there is generated a mild hysteria no matter how reluctant persons are inclined to admit it. Almost any suggestion of a preventative is given serious consideration. A New York medical doctor reveals that lack of Vitamin C obtained through citrus fruit (oranges in particular) make monkeys more resistant to infantile paralysis virus. As a result of this announcement Sedalia grocers are advised to stock up on their orange supply.

ALL DAY MEETING BY P. T. COUNCIL HELD THURSDAY

Discussion on Model P.-T. A Session By Several Members

Convention Hall porch at Liberty Park was the meeting place of the Pettis County Council of Parent-Teacher Association for their all day plan discussion, Thursday, Sept., 16. The registration of more than thirty representatives from the rural P. T. A. units included officers from two of the new units, Arator and South Side. The morning program included the business meeting with Mrs. M. E. Green, County Council president, presiding. Mrs. P. R. Burford, Sedalia District president, assisted in the discussion of unit plans.

The group enjoyed the convenience of the park facilities for the serving of the delicious picnic lunch, to which all had contributed, at the noon hour.

The afternoon program started with a discussion of a model P. T. A. meeting with parts of the business meeting given by different members. Short talks on duties of committees were given on program by Mrs. Burford; membership, Mrs. Paul Baum, president of the Liberty P. T. A.; publicity, Miss Mamie McCormick, publicity chairman of the County Council; legislation, Mrs. C. E. Carroll, legislative chairman of the County Council; hospitality, Miss Laura Ann Riley, program chairman of Walnut Grove P. T. A.

The P. T. A. News Sheet for September was distributed to the different units represented. This News Sheet will be distributed each month of th school year. Back copies of the "Child Welfare" magazine were available for loan to the different units for a period of two weeks or longer.

Mrs. Burford announced that the Sedalia District Conference would be held at Marshall, Monday, Sept. 27. Any of the local units members who plan to go to Marshall for the conference may call either Mrs. Burford or Mrs. Green if they wish to arrange for transportation.

Guests, who registered, other than members of the rural units were: Mrs. R. E. Gerster, Broadway P. T. A., Sedalia; Mrs. Ernest Linder, Oak Grove, District No. 100; Miss Marjorie Rector, secretary in the county superintendent's office; Mrs. Wiliam Reed, president of the Sedalia Council, and Mr. C. F. Scotten, county superintendent of schools.

Lincoln Items

(By Maye Messersmith)

Joe Hunt and his sisters, Mrs. Allie Parker and Mrs. Mollie Booker all of Leeton were guests last Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hunt.

The Lincoln W. P. F. A. met last Wednesday with Mrs. S. O. Stratton n an all day meeting. The day was pent in quilting for the hostess, and a delicious luncheon was served at the noon hour. Several guests were present in addition to the regular members.

Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Crites and daughter, Mrs. Homer Howell and her interesting twin daughters, Diane and Joan, all of Belle, Calif., arrived here last Saturday afternoon for a visit with Mrs. Crites' mother and sister, Mrs. Jane and Miss Mabel Carpenter, and with her brother, Charles H. Carpenter and family and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ivy Mothersbaugh returned home last Thursday from Joplin where she had been helping to care for the 7½ pound daughter of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Berry. The young lady has been named Eleanor Yvonne.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Henry and daughter, Virginia May, W. A. Owen and Mrs. Theodore Fischer and baby returned last Friday afternoon from Wever, Ia., where they had visited Mrs. Cora Sweeney and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sweeney and their young son, Kenneth William. Mrs. H. W. Kelb returned home with them following a few weeks stay with Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney.

Mrs. Ella Whisler left Saturday morning for Centerview, Mo., following a visit here with Mrs. N. L. Whisler.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Margaret Kreissler Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kreissler of Appleton City; Mr. and Mrs. August Gerken and Earl Kreissler of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Claus Goosen and daughter, Mr. and Mrs Charley Keseman and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gerken and family.

Miss Alice Kays of Warsaw visited here Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gerken and Mr. and Mrs. August Gerken and Earl Kreissler, all of Kansas City were here Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Henry Schenewark, Sr.

Misses Mary Charlotte West and Alice Kays went to Kansas City Tuesday where Miss West will again attend St. Teresa's College.

Mrs. O. L. Cuddy and daughter, Marie returned home Sunday from St. Louis where they had spent the past two weeks with Mrs. Cuddy's sons and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Orville L. Cuddy, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cuddy and son, Larry Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Olney Cuddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bohon of Sedalia and Mr. and Mrs. George M. Jones spent Sunday and Monday at Eldorado Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hunt visited Sunday in Eldorado Springs with Mrs. Hunt's brother B. B. McCrary.

Miss Louise Brill left last Sunday day for Emporia, Kas., where she is taking a course in library work at the State Teachers college.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wisdom of Green Ridge were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Jr., were guests Saturday and Sunday of Senator Searcy at Eminence, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Henry and son, Dale of Holdin; Oren Henry of Warrensburg; E. A. Williams and S. H. Williams were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. W. Merlin Henry. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Attwood and two daughters, Mary Laverne and Doris Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Henry and daughter, Virginia May.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Redman of Harrisonville visited here Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barton of Kansas City visited here Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Ellen Bradway.

Mrs. Fred Umstead and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry and son, all of Ionia visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey T. Berry Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gerken and two daughters of Humboldt, Kas., were here Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Henry Schenewark, Sr.

Mrs. Fannie Mothersbaugh and daughter, Dorothy were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mothersbaugh and son in Sedalia.

Mrs. J. A. Benz spent a few days the first of this week in Warsaw with her brother, C. C. Rhodes while Mrs. Rhodes visited her father in Ionia, who is ill.

Mrs. Amy Kahl Rhodes had as her dinner guests Sunday, Mrs. Bessie Orr Nixon and daughter, Mary Orr Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pohl and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Fristoe.

Mrs. W. A. Lockard and son, Billy Reed, Misses Gertrude Lockard and Leona Henry attended the Baptist Workers Conference at the Mt. Pleasant church last Monday.

Fred Briggs of Sedalia has been elected to teach English and Science in the Lincoln high school. This extra teacher was made necessary because of the large enrollment in the high school, making five instructors in this section of the school, Superintendent Willard V. Owens, Misses Leona Whittom, Gladys McCandless, Virginia Ficklin and Mr. Briggs, with Miss Glenn Dell Carpenter as librarian and study hall supervisor. The enrollment by grades is, Freshman, 45; sophomores, 29; junior, 34, senior, 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gallet of Kansas City visited here Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Attwood and daughters and Mrs. Alice Attwood. Mrs. Gallet was Miss Cleo McMurdo before her marriage and is a grand-daughter of Mrs. Alice Attwood.

Mrs. C. D. Brill and daughter, Dorothy Ann and Mrs. J. L. Attwood were in Windsor last Friday where Mrs. Brill visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd and Mrs. Attwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Attwood and Mrs. Stella Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kelb and family of Ionia were guests Saturday night and Sunday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kelb.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Lumpe and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lumpe were dinner guests last Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moellman in Cole Camp.

Mrs. Ernest F. Muller and two children of Cole Camp spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lumpe and other relatives.

Mrs. Alvin Groomer and two children and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kennedy, all of Warsaw, visited here Sunday afternoon in the Pohl and Davis homes.

Rev. W. W. Gibbany of Jefferson City filled his regular appointment at the Christian church here Sunday and was entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Brady.

Drs. W. Thornblake, W. Love and Harold Funsch, all of St. Louis, all classmates of Dr. Richard H. Ray were guests here the past week end in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Ray.

Henry Bruns, Jr., and Sam Cox, both of Green Ridge visited here Sunday in the home of Henry Bruns, Sr., and Mrs. Annie Vogler. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bruns were afternoon callers.

Harvey T. Berry, Harrison F. Brill and Eugene M. Nash left last Wednesday for Minnesota on a fishing trip. Communications received from them indicate that they are enjoying good fishing and a pleasant time.

Cecil O. Davis returned last Thursday from the Bothwell hospital where he had been a patient for a week. He is steadily improving in health and is able to be out but still cannot attend to business at the store.

Miss Mary Lucille Stober who is attending Indian Village school in the suburbs of Kansas City, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stober.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Buehler of Cole Camp and Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Buehler of San Bernardino, Calif., were here Monday afternoon calling on relatives and friends. This was Paul's first visit back to his old home in 19 years.

FRANK R. MURRAY WEDS MISS RUBY CAIN AT PARIS

The marriage of Miss Mary Ruby Cain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cain of Paris, Mo., was celebrated last Sunday night in Shelbina, Mo., when the young lady became the wife of Frank R. Murray, of the CCC camp near Paris.

The groom is twenty-one years old and the young bride sixteen.

Mr. Murray is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Murray of 434 East Saline street, and one of nineteen children.

PORK SPECIAL TO MARSHALL OCT. 7

That Missouri produces enough pork in a single year to not only feed its own people, but sufficient to provide a year's pork supply for a population equal to the cities of Chicago, Boston, Baltimore and Denver, is one of the striking facts which will be brought out in an exhibit by the National Live Stock and Meat Board on a special pork train, which will make a 10-stop tour through Missouri over the Alton railroad, beginning on October 4, and continuing until October 8.

The board's exhibit will also call attention to the progress of Missouri in the swine industry, by showing that it ranks fourth among all states in pork production. On January 1, this year, there was a total of 2,565,000 hogs on the farms of this state. One out of every 17 hogs in the United States is located on a Missouri farm. Showing the density of the hog population of the state, the exhibit will bring out that there is an average of 37.3 hogs on every square mile (640 acres) in the state.

Of interest, not only because it will show the high rank which Missouri occupies in furnishing the nation's pork, but also because it will stress other important facts concerning this food, the board's exhibit should appeal to producers, retailers, housewives and consumers generally.

The pork train will stop at Marshall, Mo., on Thursday morning, October 7, at 8 a. m. which will be the nearest point for Pettis county people to attend.

HOMEMAKERS OF HOPEWELL MET

The Hopewell Homemakers Club held its regular meeting Thursday, September 16th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Walters of Sedalia Route 4 with Miss Betty Lou Renno and Helen Walter assisting hostesses.

At the noon hour a delicious repast was served to which all contributed.

The singing of "Stars of a Summer Night" opened the business meeting which was in charge of the president Mrs. Allen Payne.

Mrs. Claire Montgomery was present and talked on foundations of undergarments.

From the summer's work they planned an exhibit to be placed at the county meeting and centennial to be held on Thursday September 23rd at the park.

The remainder of the evening was spent in filling out the standard of achievement blank.

Mrs. T. A. Leftwich was chosen to attend the clothing project meeting Friday.

There were twenty members present and the following visitors:

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Hyatt, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thomas, Mrs. J. H. Salmon, Mrs. Lawrence Ramey, Miss Merlin Payne, Miss Hazel Ramey and Miss Ruth Mayo.

The October meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Roy Stewart with Mrs. Pete McFarland and Mrs. T. A. Leftwich assistant hostesses.

The topic for next meeting will be "Handwork."

CHARGES ON TWO IN FATAL ACCIDENT

By The Associated Press.

NEOSHO, Mo., Sept. 18.—Charges have been filed against two men as an outgrowth of the death last night of John B. Brown, 52, Pierce City, who was struck by a motor car, Prosecutor Wayne Slankard said tonight.

Harry Wright, about 37, Springfield, was arraigned this afternoon in justice court on a charge of leaving the scene of an accident. Wright, according to Slankard, allegedly drove the car that killed Brown.

Claude Williams, 35, Diamond was charged with driving a car while intoxicated. It was when his car stalled that his companion, Brown, alighted and attempted to flag a second car only to be killed, Slankard said.

L. Burnett, 35, Springfield, said by Slankard to have been in the car with Wright, is being held, the prosecutor said, as a material witness until after an inquest scheduled for Tuesday.

SEDALIAN WINS ARCHERY CONTEST

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., Sept. 20.—J. E. Daniel of Independence won the Missouri men's archery championship here Sunday with a score of 907. Mrs. Frank P. McNalley, St. Louis, won the women's title with 746.

Harry Collins, Sedalia, won the class B men's title with 715. Howard Wilson of Springfield took the junior boy's event with 897.

I. R. Malott of Ottawa, Kas., won the open shoot for distance at 319 yards, 2 feet and 2 inches.

QUISENBERRY HOMEMAKERS CLUB IN ALL-DAY MEET

After having August as a vacation month for its club the Quisenberry Homemakers met at Mrs. Henry Cook's for an all day meeting Wednesday, September 15. The project work of the month "Cosmetics" was in charge of Mrs. L. H. Haggard.

Mrs. Haggard presented Mrs. B. P. Costello, who gave a demonstration of a facial, which was much enjoyed by all present.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. E. B. Helman, Mrs. R. S. Haggard served in that capacity.

The program committee presented Mrs. Wm. Courtney, on of the members who had returned recently from a vacation trip to Old Mexico. Mrs. Courtney gave an interesting account of her trip, which proved both entertaining and instructive.

Mrs. P. S. Read also gave a brief talk on her trip to Dallas and Ft. Worth, Texas.

The project "Handwork" will be given at our October meeting at the home of Mrs. C. W. Chappell and members are asked to bring any old handwork they may have, including knitting or crochet work, old rugs, quilts or antiques, etc.

MRS. HATFIELD OF VERSAILLES DIES

Mrs. Phila Hatfield, 79 years old, died at her home in Versailles late Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Hatfield is survived by one son, F. M. Hatfield, 302 West Third street, Sedalia; a daughter, Mrs. D. E. Hulett, Versailles; two sisters, Mrs. Effie Kaufman, Versailles, and Mrs. Lizzie Gehrs, Stover; four brothers, O. L. Sanford, Shawnee, Kan.; Orva Sanford, Stover; C. G. and Dana Sanford, both of Versailles; two grandsons, Harry and Edwin Hatfield and one granddaughter, Grace Dree Hulett.

Thomas Jewel Snorgrass Dies

Thomas Jewel Snorgrass, 1500 South Prospect avenue, passed away suddenly about 11:30 o'clock Friday morning at his home.

Dr. Gordon Stauffacher, coroner, who was notified, viewed the body and ordered it taken to the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel. He stated an inquest was not necessary.

Mr. Snorgrass was born in 1890 in Henry county and came to Sedalia to reside about fifteen years ago. He was a former employe at the Missouri Pacific shops.

Surviving are the following children: Mrs. Leta Pirtle of 1407 East Thirteenth street, Mrs. Elwood Thompson of 1505 South Quincy avenue, Mrs. Paul Smith, 523 West Third street, Miss Mary Snorgrass of the family home. Two brothers also survive, Arthur Snorgrass of Clinton and Robert Snorgrass of Frankford, Ind.

WALNUT GROVE P. T. A. HOLDS MEETING FRIDAY

A very pleasing and instructive program was given by the Walnut Grove P. T. A. Friday night, September 19. After a short business session the following program was presented by the program chairman, Miss Laura Ann Riley:

Rhythm band, "Country Gardens"—School.

Solo—Minnietta Mosby.

Views and explanations of the new course of study—Miss Irene Smiley.

Violin solo—Rose Marie Reed, accompanied by Mrs. Glen Kirkpatrick.

Address—Mrs. William Reed.

Song, "Old Black Joe"—School.

Solo, "When My Dream Boat Comes Home"—Miss Laura Ann Riley, accompanied by Miss Thelma Brunckhorst.

Violin selection—Ralph Mosby.

Piano solo, "God Be With You 'Till We Meet Again"—Miss Thelma Brunckhorst.

BANKERS TO MEET HERE NEXT YEAR

WARRENSBURG, Mo., Sept. 18.—(AP)—A. Lee Smiser, cashier of the Citizens bank here, was named chairman of group four of the Missouri Bankers Association at a meeting here Friday. M. E. Holcomb, Harrisonville, was elected secretary.

Among those on the program for the group meeting, which included 14 counties, were C. A. Wisdom, Green Ridge, president of Missouri Bankers Association; Frank D. Hamilton, Liberty; Richard M. Duncan, St. Joseph, and H. Kleine, Jr., Slater.

The 1938 meeting will be held in Sedalia.

ARATOR PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING

The Arator Parent-Teachers Association met in regular session Friday night at the school.

The program, which opened with the group singing "Smiles," was in charge of Miss Gladys Ferguson. Mrs. Ernest Schlobohm, president, presided over the business meeting.

A musical program followed a health talk by Miss Gladys Ferguson. Numbers on the program were:

"Drifting"—piano, Rose Alice Woods.

"The Tale of the Bear"—piano, Elladean Brenton.

Waltz—piano, Irene May.

Lilac Waltz-duette, Dorothy and Patty Youngkamp.

Refreshments and a social hour followed a play "Health," given by pupils of the school.

PLEDGE SUPPORT FOR CLARK IN NEXT CAMPAIGN

FLAT RIVER, Mo., Sept. 17.—(AP)—The St. Francois County Democratic committee was pledged today to support U. S. Senator Bennett Champ Clark of St. Louis in his campaign for reelection. Senator Clark has made no formal announcement of his candidacy.

Files Divorce Suit

A divorce petition was filed in circuit court Saturday afternoon by Eva Hayes against Elmer L. Hayes, to whom the plaintiff states she was married in Dallas county Mo., September 24, 1906, she further stated they seperated on August 27, 1937.

Marriage License Issued

Edward L. Hood, Flagstaff, Ariz., and Meta F. Pake, Smithton.

C. F. SCOTTEN TO JOIN PILGRIMAGE OF THE LEGION

To Take Trip Abroad After Convention In New York City

County Superintendent of Schools C. F. Scotten, left Friday morning for Kansas City, accompanied by Mrs. Scotten, and will leave for St. Louis to join a special train composed of American Legion members who will attend the national convention being held in New York City September 20-23. Mrs. Scotten will return home Monday, after visiting with friends in Kansas City.

Mr. Scotten after attending the national convention will join the American Legion Pilgrimage to Europe, sailing on the Bremen September 23.

The pilgrimage will arrive at Southampton, England, September 28 going directly to London and from then on they will visit the following places in England, Oxford, Stratford on Avon, Leamington, London, Dover, Calais, then to France, Belgium, Germany, Italy visiting the following places: Paris, Brussels, Amsterdam, Marken, Hague, Cologne, Coblenz, Rhine, Heidelberg, Lucerne, Luganp, Bellagio, Milan, Venice, Florence, Rome, Pompeii, Naples, and sailing from Naples aboard the Rex returning to the United States via Genoa and Nice France.

He is expected to arrive back in Sedalia about the middle of November.

Educators In Office.

During his absence the following educators will be in charge of the office in the court house: Mrs. Marjorie Neff Hoy, Rural School Supervisor, in the office on the following Saturdays from the hours of 9 o'clock in the morning until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, September 18, October 2, October 16, October 30, and November 13.

Miss Mary Sue Hopkins, Rural School Supervisor of Central Missouri will be at the office on Saturday, September 25, October 23, November 6.

Mr. Roy E. Freund, Superintendent of Schools at Houstonia will be in the office on Saturday, October 9.

Miss Marjorie Rector, office secretary, will be at the office daily.

Anyone interested in extension work from the Teachers College at Warrensburg are requested to notify those in charge of the County Superintendent's office the courses desired.

BOYS TAKING CAR FIGURE IN WRECK

A Ford V-8 coupe used as a pick-up, owned by the Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Co., driven here by W. C. Spillman, allegedly stolen from its parking place on the east side of the court house about 8:30 o'clock Saturday night by two boys was wrecked when the two boys endeavored to make a hurried getaway and crashed into the rear of a parked car on Fifth street, the court house side of the street, a few seconds later.

The boys racing the motor of the car, backed away from the curb and endeavored to speed south, when a car approaching from the east on Fifth street, caused them to swerve to the west. The driver unable to straighten the car drove it into the rear of the Chevrolet knocking it over an eight inch curb.

The two jumped from the car and ran north across the court house lawn and disappeared down an alley between Third and Fourth street west from Lamine avenue.

The Chevrolet is owned by O. V. Singleton, Benton county farm extension agent, who was down town with his family shopping. Willard Glenn, also of Warsaw who accompanied Mr. Singleton to Sedalia was sitting on a bench by which the boys ran, but he was unable to give chase because of a sore foot. Another boy followed the two to the alley but they out-distanced him and disappeared.

Mr. Spillman, who resides at La-Monte, had driven to Sedalia to attend the picture show, parked the car on Lamine avenue about 7:30 o'clock in the evening and did not know of it being taken until about 9:45 o'clock.

The right front fender and light was badly smashed on the Ford while the rear bumper and trunk on the Chevralet was smashed in.

FIRE DAMAGES A BARN ALSO A RESIDENCE

Fire of undetermined origin caused about $50 damage to a barn and residence of Helen Homan, at 216 East St. Louis street, at 7:23 o'clock Saturday night.

The fire which started in the barn behind the house caused considerable damage to the barn and slightly damaged the house which was nearby.

In order to reach the fire with a stream of water the firemen had to lay 550 feet of hose as the nearest fire plug was nearly two blocks away. Both fire companies answered the alarm.

New Role for Nu[illegible]

"Are you the trai[illegible] nurse mother said was comin[illegible]o stay with us?"

"Yes, I'm the trained [illegible]se."

"Well, come on then! [illegible]e having a circus out in the [illegible]k, and we want to see you[illegible] tricks."

MRS. LOUISE O'REAR BE TREASURER OF PETTIS COUNTY

Appointment Announced By Governor Lloyd C. Stark Today

THIRTY-TWO OTHERS WERE ALSO NAMED

Appointee Been Active In Democratic Politics Several Years

Mrs. Louise O'Rear, of the Long- ood community Wednesday was pointed county treasurer to suc- ed J. B. Gree, county collector, has been acting ex-officio rer by virtue of a legislative ed several years ago.

er took charge of the easurer's office last Jan- d since that time has had Wimer, former treasurer, in of the office.

s. O'Rear will take charge im- diately upon receiving formal ord of her appointment from the fice of Governor Lloyd C. Stark ho made the appointment.

There were three candidates for e office in Pettis county, Mr. Wim- of La Monte; James Higgins the Hughesville neighborhood, d Mrs. O'Rear. Since the new law hich re-created county treasurers uch speculation has been had er who would receive the local of- ye.

Mrs. O'Rear is well known in Pet- county, she is a staunch Dem- rat and for more than twelve years s served the Democratic party as member of the committee from ngwood township No. 1.

She has served at vice-chairman the central committee, was presi- nt of the Roosevelt-Park-Clark ub in 1932. During that year she as also in charge of the Pettis unty committee headquarters.

Mrs. O'Rear resides at the south ge of Longwood and has one of e large farms in that section. She pends her time farming.

Thirty-Three More Named

JEFFERSON CITY, Sept. 22.—Se- ection of the newly-authorized coun- y treasurers was three-fourth com- pleted today when Governor Lloyd C. Stark named thi y-three of the fficials.

Today's appointee brought the number to be name n the counties under 40,000 pop lation without ownship organizations and in reene county to 6 and left only 1 to be selected.

The latest appointe officials, to erve until January 1, 1939, include:

Camden—Ormal C. reach, Mack's reek.

Cooper—Russell L Moore, Boon- ille.

Greene—Kirk E. axter, Spring- ield.

Hickory — Jesse C. Franklin, Vheatland.

Johnson—Otto R. Jacoby, War- ensburg.

Morgan—Warren Bond, Versailles.

Pettis—Mrs. Louise O'Rear, Long- ood.

The treasurers were named from ts submitted the governor from e county committee affected by e new law, which went into effect ept. 6. Stark said he worked until idnight last night preparing the ap- ointments.

Thirty-two of the new officials ere named yesterday, upon the turn of Stark from a three weeks stern trip.

Sponsors of the bill restoring the fice of county treasurer said the w would affect 74 counties, but e governor's office said a recheck the counties showed 86 were af- cted.

OBITUARIES

E. R. Harris Dies

News of the passing of E. R. Iarris, aged about 70 years, at his ome in San Diego, Calif., has been eceived by friends of the family ere where they resided many years and where Mr. Harris was as- ciated with his brothers, T. W. d William Harris in operating Sedalia Candy Company at in street and Ohio avenue up to core of years ago.

r. Harris after retiring from candy company remained here a time then moved to San o about sixteen years ago and the exception of two years re- g at Dallas had spent the en- time since his departure at Diego.

illness causing his death was n, or twelve weeks duration. of the brothers engaged in ss here with him, William , died several years ago.

Harris is survived by his a brother, T. W. Harris and llowing sisters: Mrs. T. H. n, Dallas, Texas; Mrs. H. Waples, St. Louis, and Elizabeth Wiley of San Diego.

Mrs. Rollie V. Ross Dies

ord has been received in Sedalia e death of Mrs. Rollie V. Ross, er Sedalian, who passed away r home in Bellefontaine, Ohio, 11 o'clock Monday night.

viving her are her husband and hildren Miss Virginia Ross and ames Porter Ross of the home. eral services will be held Fri- Complete arrangements have een made.

. and Mrs. W. C. Turner, Jef- n City, left for Bellfontaine to attend the funeral. Mrs. Turner is a sister of Mr. Ross.

NEW COUNTY TREASURER

Mrs. Louise Orear, appointed by Governor Lloyd C. Stark as Pettis County's treasurer. Mrs. Orear will take over the office upon receiving her formal commission from the governor's office.

Janet Lee Cordry Dies

Janet Lee Cordry, 19 month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd A. Cordry, died at her home at 1408 South Moniteau avenue Tuesday evening.

Funeral of Mrs. Forbes

Funeral services for Mrs. Elsie Forbes were held in the Ewing funeral home at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. I. S. Nicholson conducted the services. Mrs. Forbes was a member of the Olive Branch Baptist church.

Pall bearers were E. B. Killion, Lon R. Slatton, Charles Kinder, Walter Smith, Ed Callis and Will Hoffman.

Interment was in Crown Hill cemetery.

James Ellsworth Paxton

James Ellsworth Paxton, ten years old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Paxton, 2117 East Broadway, passed away at the family home about 2:30 o'clock Wednesday morning following an illness of nearly two months.

Surviving besides his parents are five brothers and two sisters, Robert, William, Alfred, Emma Catherine, David Lee, Paul Edward, Johnnie Thomas and Francis Louise, all of the family home.

Also surviving is his grandmother Mrs. Emma Paxton.

Harvey Eugene Wasson Dies

Harvey Eugene Wasson, nineteen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wasson died at the family home, 1616 South Park avenue, about four o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Besides his parents he is survived by a brother, Kenneth Wasson, and a sister, Dorothy Nelle Wasson.

Waldo Emerson Wilson Dies

Waldo Emerson Wilson, 48, died at his home, 2031 South Boecke street, Kansas City, Kansas, about nine o'clock Sunday morning.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Sadie May Wilson; three sisters, Mrs. E. J. Hare, Sedalia, Mrs. A. W. Young, Green Ridge, and Mrs. Nell Salter of Minneapolis, Minnesota; three brothers, Samuel Wilson, 1419 South Vermont, Omer Wilson, 1510½ South Ohio and Elwood Wilson of 2025 South Boecke street, Kansas City.

Charles G. Hackett Dies

News has been received here of the death of Charles G. Hackett, 74, in Oakland, Calif., Saturday, Sept. 11. Mr. Hackett was born in Warsaw and served as assistant postmaster during the postmastership of John M. Glenn in Sedalia.

He moved to Seattle, Wash., to reside about thirty years ago and there served in the county clerk's office. He later became associated with the Evergreen Cemetery Company. He died suddenly while vacationing in California with his family.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Dora Hackett and a son, Roland A. Hackett. The funeral was held last Monday.

Mrs. Will J. Crawford Dies

Sedalia friends were apprised by telegraph Monday morning of the passing at a DesMoines hospital of Mrs. Sylvia Crawford, former well known Sedalia resident, and widow of Will J. Crawford.

Previous to Mr. Crawford's death they resided on West Fourth street and during many years spent in Sedalia she formed many lasting friendships.

Entire Student Body Brothers and Sisters

Left to right: Junior Combs, 7; Norman Combs, 15; Mrs. Cal Stevens, teacher; Melva Combs, 13; Opal Combs, 12.

The students in the Centennial rural school nineteen miles north of Versailles are eagerly looking forward to October 4, for that is the opening day of the Lake of the Ozark Fishing Rodeo and their teacher, Mrs. Cal Stevens, has not only promised them a holiday on that date but has given each of them a Rodeo ticket.

Now there probably is no other school in the United States in which the entire student enrollment are brothers and sisters. But it so happens that there are just four students in the Centennial school and they all are sons and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Combs.

The youngsters walk a mile to the school house each morning bringing their dinner pails well filled for the lunch hour. Norman, 15, and Melva, 13, are in the eighth grade andd will graduate this year. Opal, 12, is sole member of the fifth grade and Junior, 7, is president, secretary and sergeant at arms of the third grade group.

Mrs. Stevens closely follows the state course of study and conducts her classes with the same systematic regularity as if she were teacher of thirty students instead of just four.

Due to the small enrollment Centennial school gets no state aid but Mrs. Stevens said that next year the enrollment probably will be larger.

Mrs. Stevens, an enthusiastic angler, expects to accompany her students the day of the Rodeo opening.

"Of course," she said, "we will have to make up the day we took off to go fishing, but it will be worth it."

True to the tradition of rural schools, Centennial will hold a pie supper and program the night of October 1st. Already the pupils are practicing their songs and recitations for a program that is scheduled to last at least an hour.

"Are you going to sing at the pie supper?" seven year Junior was asked.

"I am not a very good singer," the youngster replied, "but I am going to catch a bigger fish than any of the rest of the kids during the Rodeo."

ROTARIANS HEAR ADDRESS ON CORN HUSKING EVENT

Numercus Guests Also Hear Talk Made By George Jordan

The Sedalia Rotary Club held its weekly meeting at noon Monday at Hotel Bothwell with its president, Dr. J. E. Cannaday, presiding. The Rotarians were entertained with an account of the National Corn Husking Contest to be held in Saline county November 3 and 4, the talk being made by George Jordan, editor of the Missouri Ruralist, a son of Sam W. Jordan, who served Pettis County as what was then known as a farm agent. This was approximately 25 years ago.

Guests for the day were Elgin Smith, guest of Guy Peabody; Leon Archias, guest of J. U. Morris; J. H. Gourley, of Jefferson City, guest of C. A. Wright. The Misses Ruby and Orine Weber, on whose father's farm the national contest is to be held, Mrs. George Jordan, wife of the speaker of the day; Layton Roberts, present Missouri champion corn husker; J. C. Patterson, secretary of the Marshall Chamber of Commerce; Henry W. Hamilton, county extension agent of Saline County, and Rotarian Roy Phelan, formerly of Sedalia, but now of Aberdeen, S. D., who had as his guest, W. W. Russell, former Sedalian, now of Kansas City, and Miss Virginia Dennis, corn queen of Saline county.

Mr. Jordan in opening his talk on the contest told of his father's work in Pettis county 25 years ago, he being the first farm agent in the United States, with Pettis county having the first farm bureau. Much of the groundwork that was laid for the county extension work was still in use at the present time, the speaker said.

In speaking of the National Corn Contest he stated that it started 14 years ago in Iowa and then had extended until this year's contest will include nine states, and possibly a tenth one.

Each state entering the contest previously hold county contests and select the champion from each county, then in turn the state holds a contest and selects its champion and alternate, and they in turn participate in the national event, counties in each states numbering from 25 to 60 compete for entry in the state contests.

In speaking of the attendance at the national affair he stated that they run considerably over 100,000, and commenting on this asserted there were less than ten sporting events in the country that had that large an attendance and three of those in the past had been for the husking contest.

The contest will be held in a forty-acre corn field, estimated to yield 80 bushels to the acre. Its location is about six miles north of Marshall on the gravel road leading to Miami, Mo. The event will be reported by an elaborate radio hookup. The contest itself will be held on Thursday, the first day being given over to demonstrations of various kinds of machinery, a huge parade, an outstanding mule show, and possibly a style show by the women.

The contests lasts for 80 minutes and in that time the winner will probably husk between 40 and 45 bushels of corn.

A cordial invitation was extended Pettis countians to attend. Mr. Patterson in a short address also urged Pettis countians to attend and stated that the contest would attract such enormous crowds many would come to Sedalia for accomodations in the local hotels.

SUIT FILED IN A CLAIM ON ESTATE

A suit was filed in circuit court Thursday morning, E. W. Jones and Leo J. Hrrned, attorneys for the Pettis county seeking to establish a claim for $6,000 plus interest for 1937 against the estate of Mrs. Emelia Behnke, who passed away in St. Louis on July 22, 1937.

The suit was brought against Matilda R. Peters, administratrix C. T. A. of the estate of Emelia Behnke.

According to the petition a school fund loan was given for $6,000 on a building on the northwest corner of Second street and Ohio avenue where the Sedalia Drug Co., is located.

The reason for the suit being brought in the Pettis county circuit court to establish the claim for the county court was to save added costs of having to appear in the probate court in St. Louis county where the will was filed.

BIRTHDAY PARTY AT WILLIAMS HOME

Friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams of Green Ridge to help celebrate Mr. Williams' birthday anniversary. A most enjoyable day was spent with music and conversation, at noon a large and bountiful dinner was served cafeteria.

Those present are the following friends and relatives: Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Williams and son of Windsor; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Moon and daughters, Opal and Dorothy; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fidler and daughters, Juanita, Daisy Evelyn and Shirley; Mr. and Mrs. Manuel McFatrich and son Donald Manuel; Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Phunder and daughter Shirley, all of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Howard and son Shurman; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Williams and sons George D., Earl, Harold and James; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Williams; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Loges and family, Junior, Dollie, Billie and Opal Ann; Chester, L. V., Orene Smith of La Monte; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Blaylock; Mr. and Mrs. David Wear and son Ray Edward of Green Ridge; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Howard and son Bob of Dresden.

All left late in the evening wishing Mr. Williams many more happy birthdays.

BOYS ARE FOUND ASLEEP IN AUTO THEY HAD TAKEN

Youths Admit To Police The Ransacking of Other Cars

On a tip received Tuesday morning by Chief of Police John J. O'Brien, Officers Fischer and O'Brien arrested two boys, both 14, on a charge of stealing an automobile.

Henry R. Harris, 800 West Broadway, reported to the police that a 1935 Ford coupe belonging to him had been taken from his garage about 4 o'clock Tuesday morning.

After receiving the tip the officers drove about twelve miles south on the waterwcrks road and found the lads asleep in the car. The boys gave their names as Ralph Cutler, 1215 West tenth street, and Kenneth Ralston, 1325 South Grand avenue.

When questioned by the police Cutler made a statement disclosing that he and Ralston had ransacked two other cars Monday night.

Cutler said that he and Ralston went to the home of a girl friend and then walked to Broadway and Kentucky where they loafed until about 10 o'clock. From there they went to the Meadow Gold Ic Cream Company and attempted to get ice cream out of the cans in the alley. At this time Officer Joe Gresham entered the south end of the alley and chased them for several blocks but was unable to catch them.

According to Cutler the boys then went east on Fifth street to the Katy tracks and stayed at the Katy station for about half an hour. Leaving the station the boys went to Cramer's store at Thirteetnh and Montgomery and near there they found a grey Chevrolet sedan parked. Out of this car they took a flash light, two fishing reels, sun glasses and two knives.

Going back toward the business district they found another Chevrolet sedan in front of the old post office buildng. Out of this car they took a mirror, a pair of ladies gold glasses and other articles belonging to a woman.

A car at 604 South Lamine and another at 1100 West Broadway were also searched.

As no report of these thefts has been made to the police the owners are unknown.

Decided on Ride

After ransacking this car the youths went to the Missouri Pacific depot and then started for their homes. Seeing a car parked in front of a garage at Broadway and Grand, Cutler said he and Ralston went over to see what they could find.

Finding nothing in the automobile they wanted the boys decided to go for a ride, Although the keys had been left in the car, they were unable to start the motor until Cutler loosened the wires in the switch and tied them together.

They rolled the car out into the street and started the motor going south on Grand avenue to Twentieth street and turning off on highway 65.

Cutler says Ralston drove the car to Anderson school where he took it over. The youths followed the gravel road until Cutler ran the car into a ditch damaging the front fender.

After the wreck they tried to straighten the fender to keep it from rubbing against the wheel and drove on.

About 8 o'clock Cutler said they became sleepy and when the motor stopped went to sleep in the car.

Shortly afterward the police arrested them and brought them into Sedalia.

LA MONTE RECORD SOLD TO A. L. McGHEE

The La Monte Record, weekly newspaper, has been purchased by A. L. McGhee of Parker, Colorado, from Miss Leona Payne, who for the past six years has been editor and publisher of the paper.

Mr. McGhee took charge Monday morning. He formerly edited and published the Parker News, Parker, Colo. He was accompanied to La Monte by Mrs. McGhee and their small child.

Miss Payne stated she had made no definite plans for the future.

Divorce Action Filed

A divorce petition was filed in circuit court Monday evening by William D. Carver against Mae Carver to whom the petition states he was married in 1925 and separated in July of this year.

Will of Mrs. Shy To Probate

The will of Mrs. Martha Shy, widow of the late T. C. Shy, who passed away last August 19, was filed in the probate court and W. E. Ferguson, son-in-law was appointed administrator by Judge J. E. Smith.

The following are the heirs: Two daughters, Mrs. Lee Ferguson, Mrs. Mollie McCorkle and her son, Frank Shy.

FIRE STATION 1

Sedalia's newly erected fire station at Fourth street and Montgomery avenue, which was formally opened Sunday when several hundred Sedalians visited and inspected one of Central Missouri's most modern fire stations of its size.

The building was erected through the WPA program and as a part of a building program started by Mayor Julian Bagby and the city council.

Work of razing the old building and erecting the new one-story brick structure was supervised by B. J. Bahner, former city councilman, a supervisor for the WPA.

Looks Like a Busy Winter For United States Supreme Court

Scheduled Seating of Former Senator Hugo L. Black Has Aroused Bitterness and Opposition.

By JAMES W. DOUTHAT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—Amid reverberations from the struggle over President Roosevelt's attempt to remold the judiciary, the supreme court will reassemble on October 4 for another eight-month term.

Already litigation involving eight new deal laws has been filed, and more is on its way. In all, more than 400 cases are ready for action. It looks like a busy winter.

As the jurists turned toward Washington from their vacations, there was widespread speculation in political and legal circles over whether Mr. Roosevelt would renew his attempt to place new members on the high tribunal.

Many observers believe his projected western trip will give the tip-off on his intentions. That will afford him an opportunity to hear first-hand what the people think.

If they approve of his efforts to enlarge the court, many think he will revive the issue and insist on congress passing such legislation. If the reaction is unfavorable, these sources say the proposal will be allowed to repose undisturbed.

Even after the court plan was stopped in the senate, President Roosevelt said publicly that additional legislation was needed. The next few months will tell whether he thinks the need is great enough to warrant another first degree political dispute before Next November's congressional elections.

Some observers think the President may use his influence on the western trip against the renomination of members of congress who opposed his plan for the appointment of a new justice for each of the members over 70 who refused to retire.

Senator Wheeler of Montana, leader of the opposition forces has been prominently mentioned in this connection. For the past few weeks he has been busily engaged in working on his political fences.

Be a New Member

When the justices convene for the first session of the fall term there will be a new member of the court for the first time since March 14, 1932, when Justice Cardozo succeeded the venerable Oliver Wendell Holmes.

The new appointee is Hugo L. Black, ardent senatorial champion of most Roosevelt administration proposals, who was named to fill the vacancy created by the retirement of Justice Van Devanter. Black was Democratic senator from Alabama.

A suit to prevent his from taking his seat has been filed with the supreme court by Albert Levitt, former federal judge of the Virgin Islands and until recently a special assistant to Attorney General Cummings. There also is much talk of his alleged membership in the Ku Klux Klan.

Levitt contended among other things that Black was constitutionally ineligible for the position because he was a member of the senate which increased the "emuluments" of justices by permitting them to retire at full pay after they become 70 and serve ten years.

Already Taken Oath

The court probably will dispose of this petition on October 11. Black already has taken the oath of office, placing himself on the payroll, and has subscribed to the justice department's printed form for use of federal judges, thus fulfilling all legal requirements for taking office. Custom requires, however, that he repeat at the bench when court convenes that part of the justice department from pledging impartial administration of justice.

Because four of the justices have passed 75 there have been frequent reports that some of them might retire soon.. Those usually mention are McReynolds and Sutherland, each 75, and Brandeis, 80. They have given no indication that

Appointment of 51-year-old Black to succeed 78-year-old Van Devanter lowered the average age of the nine justices from a shade under Hughes is 75, Butler 71, Stone 64, Roberts 62 and Cardozo 67.

At the top of the list of important litigation awaiting action are Power Company, the Iowa City Light and Power Company and the Duke Power Company in an effort to prevent the federal government from providing money for construction of public-owned hydro-electric plants.

Secretary Ickes, the public works administrator, has said the controversy would affect more than 50 public power projects for which the government has provided $51,000,000.

Top-ranking cases en route here involve constitutionality of the public utility holding company act and plans of the Tennessee Valley authority for expanding its power program in eight states.

Pending disputes include new attacks on the Wagner labor relations act sustained last term by the tribunal, and challenges of he 1933 "truth in securities" act, the 1936 measure broadening regulation of commodity exhanges and the home owners' loan corporation statute.

Other Controversies

Other controversies revolve about whether the government can call gold bonds in advance of the maturity date withou paying interest, whether the Georgia Power Company can proceed in litigation in Tennessee against the TVA and whether the court should reconsider its 1936 decision holding unconstitutional the municipal bankruptcy act.

It appears certain that the tribunal will continue a center of national attention for months to come, a position it has held since January 7, 1935, when it declared unconstitutional the government's effort under the national industrial recovery act to regulate interstate shipment of oil produced in excess of state quotas.

This "hot oil" decision ushered in one of the most tumultuous periods in the history of the court. Since then there has been almost constant conflict over the right of the tribunal to invalidate acts of congress advocated by the President.

Up until the term beginning a year ago the court ruled against the administration wishes in 11 out of 13 cases. The exceptions were the "gold clause" and TVA controversies.

But last term, following the overwhelming reelection of Mr. Roosevelt for another four years, the court gave the administration 14 straight victories.

Some supporters of the President contend that the vote of confidence given him by the people, coupled with his court reorganization proposal submitted last February 5, produced the string of successes.

Friends of the tribunal reply, however, that it was merely following the law and that the litigation passed on last term was more in line with the constitution than that which was decided earlier.

ARMOUR IS HELD ON ADDITIONAL CHARGES

Willis Armour charged with felonious assault and leaving the scene of an accident was given a preliminary hearing in the court of Justice of the Peace W. R. Large and bound over to the criminal court. He is held in the county jail being unable to make a bond of $5,000. He previously had been held on robbery and kidnap charges.

Collapses and Dies in Pulpit

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 20.—Harry W. Hogan, 48, financial secretary of the Westport Methodist Episcopal church, collapsed and died in the pulpit Sunday after pleading with members for contributions.

Suit On Note Dismissed

The suit in circuit court of M. O. Finley against C. H. Houchen on a note, was dismissed late Friday evening by Judge Dimmitt Hoffman on request of the plaintiff.

Bride of Three Months Killed

SALEM, Mo., Sept. 18.—(AP)—Mrs. Riley King, 20, a bride of three months, was killed today when an automobile driven by her husband overturned on highway 32 three miles east of here.

INDEBTEDNESS IS CLEARED ON M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH

Membership In Conference Year Raises Over $3,800

The Methodist Episcopal church, South, of this city has cleared itself of debt and its representatives go to conference this week at Jefferson City highly enthused over the report to be made.

The present building was erected while Rev. Felix R. Hill was pastor. In the year 1925 the basement was put under the church and other repair work done. This placed a debt of approximately twelve thousand dollars upon the congregation. Rev. J. D. Robbins was pastor of the church. About half of this amount was paid within a few years. During the depression years very little was done on the indebtedness.

At the beginning of the conference year in 1935 the indebtedness was forty-eight hundred dollars. Under the leadership of Rev. L. M. Starkey, present presiding elder of the Sedalia district, and Rev. J. C. English, present pastor of the church, it was decided by the Board of Trustees and the Board of Stewards to present the matter to the congregation and raise the indebtedness.

Raised $3,800 Plus Interest

With the diligent work of the congregation and the officials of the church the last of the indebtedness is off the church and the parsonage. Thirty-eight hundred dollars of the amount has been raised this conference year plus the interest on the amount. Besides this the congregation has paid a thousand dollars to the mission cause in addition to the local budget of the church.

Thirty-two ministers have served as pastors during the church's history. Four missionaries have gone from the church. The present membership is 694.

The Methodist Episcopal church, South, now located at Fifth street and Osage avenue, was organized in the year 1870 by Rev. Preston Phillips. There were nineteen members in the original organization. The original building was located at the corner of Third and Massachusetts avenue. A part of the building still stands on the northeast corner there.

Rev. A. R. Faris was pastor of the church when the lots were secured for the erection of the present building. The original building was a frame structure which was moved to the lot of the present building and used as a parsonage until the erection of the present parsonage under the pastorage of Rev. J. F. Caskey, about the year 1908.

A brick building was erected where the present one stands in the spring of 1891. During the pastorate of Rev. A. H. Barnes the debt on the church was paid. This was in the year 1898. In the fall of the same year the building was condemned as unsafe for use, and was torn down. The congregation then worshipped in the court house for some time.

COMMUNITY CLUB HAS A PROGRAM

The Hazel Hill Community Club met Friday evening, September 17, at the school house. The meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Virginia Younger. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary. The program committee, consisting of Mrs. Frank Schauten, Mrs. Fred Vail, and Mrs. Thad Haggard, then presented the following program:

"Lullaby Time Waltz," and "The Soldier's Farewell" by the Hazel Hill Rythmn Band.

"Old Jawbones," a play presented by Mrs. Frank Schauten, Mrs. Fred Vail, and Mrs. Thad Haggard.

"Old Black Joe" sung by the audience.

The following songs were played by Joseph and Carl Alexander of Longwood: "My Blue Ridge Mountain Queen," "When My Dream Boat Comes Home," "Eagle March," "Treasure Island," "Put On An Old Pair of Shoes," and "When It's Roundup Time In Heaven."

Solo by Miss Pauline Vail.

"Falling Waters" and "Nation's Recall March," played by Joseph Alexander as piano solos.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the audience by Mrs. Gus Koelling, Mr. Glen Chamberlain, and Mr. John Schondelmaier.

For the October meeting the committees appointed were: Refreshments: Mrs. Glen Chamberlain, Mrs. Wesley Bullard, and Mr. John Powers. Entertainment: Mr. Ted Lilly, Mr. Lon Pauley, and Mrs. Earl Gregory.

HEFLIN TO SEEK A SEAT IN SENATE

LA FAYETTE, Ala., Sept. 20.—J. Thomas Heflin, 68-year-old former senator and picturesque Alabama political character, formally declared his candidacy last night for January-February Democratic primaries in which a successor to U. S. Senator Dixie Graves will be selected.

Senator Graves is serving temporarily in the seat vacated by Hugo L. Black when he was elevated to the supreme court.

Heflin was the second to enter the race, Representative Lister Hill (D-Ala.), of Montgomery, having announced two weeks ago on a "new deal-Roosevelt" platform.

Otterville Items

(By Mrs. T. R. Cranmer)

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Simpson, entertained the board of stewards and their wives Tuesday evening. At the close of the business session a pleasant social hour was enjoyed when each told of some interesting event which happened in their school days after which dainty refreshments were served to each guest in a lunch box or basket.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Spillers were Sunday guests of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Favorite at Warrensburg last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gunn motored to Jefferson City Friday where they visited with friends and attended the celebration of the constitutions 150th anniversary.

J. H. Parsons, postmaster, accompanied by his wife and daughter, attended the Postmaster's Association, which was held at Twin Bays, on the Lake of the Ozarks last Sunday. A fish fry was enjoyed at the noon hour.

Misses Gwendolyn and Lady Jud Golladay of Jefferson City, visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Golladay, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Hays of Tipton, were Sunday guests of her sister, Mrs. H. Roger Starke and Mr. Starke

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kuykendall were Sunday Guests of her aunt, Mrs. George Ross and family at California.

Mrs. A. N. Howlett had as guests Sunday, Mrs. R. G. Howlett and daughter, Miss Georgia Ann of Golden, Colo., and Mrs. A. L. Ferguson of Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Leslie and Mrs. Helen Edwards of Slater and Mrs. Marie Marshall of Kansas City. Miss Howlett entered the university at Columbia for the coming year.

Friends in Otterville have received announcements of the marriage of Miss Marjie Nichols of Kansas City and Frederick E. Thornhill of Springfield. Both Miss Nichols and Mr. Thornhill taught in Otterville high school the past year.

The Order of the Eastern Star met in regular session Thursday evening at which time Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Streit, assisted by Mrs. H. Roger Starke, served dainty refreshments at the close of the business session.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Williams and small son, Homan, visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Williams, near Pilot Grove.

The closing out sale of Mrs. A. L. Burford was held last Saturday on her farm southeast of town. A large crowd was in attendance and things brought very satisfactory prices. Mrs. Burford will rent her farm and expects to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Snyder at Sedalia.

Mrs. C. E. Eieman of California, visited last Tuesday with her sister and brother, Mrs. J. L. Spillers and Mr. and Mrs. H. Roger Starke.

Mrs. D. B. Mayfield spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Bush near Warrensburg.

Mrs. Kate Burnett and daughter, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Raymond Kuykendall and husband southeast of town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gochenour, son and grandson, Jack Gochenour and Donald Glenn Gochenour, and Miss Grace Alma Coffman, spent last Saturday night and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs Charles Meyers and family at Fulton.

The following members of the Baptist church attended the Lamine Association at Freedom Baptist church Tuesday: Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Craig. Mrs. Jessie Alken, Emmett Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Straten, Mrs. Pauline Spillers, Mrs. A. Y. Burford, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Cole and Miss Opal Homan

On Thursday the following attended the Concord Baptist Association at Prairie Home: Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Scrivner, Mrs. Jessie Allen and Emmett Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spicher of Farmington, Ill., came Friday for a visit over the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Leach, north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Homan and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cline enjoyed the day Sunday on the Lake of the Ozarks.

Archie Craig has enrolled at Hannibal Le Grange College for the ensuing year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Greer, left Tuesday for a trip to the interesting places in Colorado. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Roehback of California, are looking after Mr. Greer's filling station in his absence.

Mrs. Jack Stodder and daughter, Gay, of Washington, D. C., are visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wm. McGeery and family this week. Mrs. McGeery returned Sunday from a visit with relatives at Casper, Wyo.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter T. Small and daughters, Mrs. James Reed and Mrs. Raphael Denny of Sedalia, visited his sister, Mrs. Harry Everett, Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Evelyn Parker of Bunceton visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Parker the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Duvall and daughter, Sue left Friday afternoon for a visit over the week-end with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cordry south of Syracuse.

Miss Melba Conner of the English department of the high school faculty, resigned Monday to accept a place at Appleton City. Miss Leona Dewitt of near Nevada, has been elected to the English and music department in the Otterville high school.

The Missionary Society of the Baptist church met Thursday afternoon in regular session at the church. Devotional was led by Mrs. Asa Bishop, the study topic, was led by Mrs. L. C. Wilkerson.

Owen L. Cranmer returned the first of the week from a week's vacation and fishing on the Lake of the Ozarks. He was accompanied on the trip by Wm. Newlove and A. L. Gee of Kansas City.

The Otterville basketball teams went to Blackwater Friday evening for their first games.

Clifton City Items

(By Mrs. Add Johnson)

Miss Leona Reuter who has employment at Pilot Grove, visited here Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reuter. She was accompanied here by two cousins, Miss Isabelle Bauer and Miss Lorene Zeller and a friend Miss Isabelle Kemp, all from Pilot Grove who were also guests in this home Sunday.

Joe Twenter and Miss Maurine Bidstrup, teachers of the Clifton City school and Miss Maurine Streit, teacher of Oak Hill school east of town, attended teachers meeting in Boonville last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young and children visited with relatives in Parsons, Kas., last Sunday and Monday.

June Bidstrup who has spent his summer vacation north of town with his mother, Mrs. G. H. Bidstrup, returned to Columbia Sunday to resume his studies in the university there Monday.

Jimmie Gehringer of Sedalia came to Clifton City Monday morning and his sister, Mrs. F. S. Needy and sister-in-law, Mrs. Dudley Gehringer of Hitchcock, S. D., who is visiting relatives here, motored to Columbia and spent the day with a brother Theodore Gehringer. Thursday they motored to Lincoln, Mo., and visited a sister, Mrs. Stapie Philips, Mr. Philips and family.

Mrs. Will Cordry of Bunceton visited the week end here with her daughter, Mrs. Johnie Streit and family.

J. E. Maples and son Arthur spent several days in Kansas City last week with Mr. Maples' brother, John Maples and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stone are the parents of a son born in their home here early Saturday morning September 11.

Ira Grose of Kansas City visited here Friday night and Saturday with his brother George Grose and family. He was accompanied by his wife who visited Mr. Grose's sister, Mrs. Albert Cramer and Mr. Cramer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shy and family enteretained in their home here Sunday Mr. Shy's brother and sister, Chris Shy and wife and Mrs. Carl Schupp, Mr. Schupp and son C. H., all of Boonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Siegel and family motored to near Stover Sunday and attended a reunion of the Schupp family. Mr. and Mrs. Siegel report a very enjoyable day. This reunion is held annually and over 100 relatives were present to enjoy the day The reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gabert Oehrke who reside on the old Schupp homestead. Mrs. Oehrke was formerly Miss Schupp.

Mrs. Gussie Aerns and daughter Miss Pearl Moler of Sedalia are visiting Mrs. Aerns' sister, Mrs. J. G. Harlan and family. Other guests in this home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Harlan also of Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. William Doyle went to Fulton last Friday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle's son Hugh, who has been a patient at the sanitorium there. They were accompanied home that evening by Hugh who visited in this home until Monday. Other guests in the Doyle home Sunday were a daughter, Mrs. Earl Wood, Mr. Wood and children of near Beaman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schroeder and family visited at Florence Sunday with Mr. Schroeder's father, H. J. Schroeder.

Miss Edna Wallace who is teaching near Spring Fork, visited last week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Potter and their married daughter, Mrs. Harry Miller, went to Marshall Sunday and visited with another daughter and son, Miss Emogene and Jack Potter, who are attending Missouri Valley College.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Bridges visited with relatives at Smithton Sunday.

Mrs. C. B. Todd visited her daughter, Mrs. Minnie Johnson, Mr. Johnson and family near Pleasant Green Monday and Tuesday.

A canning demonstration was given at the home of Mrs. B. H. Potter last Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Earl Schroeder assisted by Mrs. John Shy entertained the Ladies Missionary Society of the M. E. church at the home of Mrs. Schroeder last Thursday afternoon. In the absence of the leader, Mrs Johnie Streit, Mrs. Denny Long took charge of the program using as her subject "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord." Mrs. G. V. Streit, the president, had charge of the business meeting at which time members voted to entertain the Otterville church on Thursday afternoon, September 30. After other business matters were transacted a social hour was enjoyed and the hostesses served refreshments to the following: Mesdames J. G. Harlan, S. F. Hussey, W. H. Bidstrup, G. V. Streit and D. W. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Edwards visited with Mr. Ellis' sister and Mrs. Edwards' mother, Mrs. B. F. Kahrs and Mr. Kahrs in Sedalia last Sunday. Other guests in this home Sunday were Mrs. Kahrs' sisters. Mrs. Cordie Ellis and Mr. Ellis and Mrs. Lively McMullin.

Knob Noster Items

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Covey and children, Betty Ann and Billy Dan, and Mrs. P. G. Atley, visited in Kansas City Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Thompson entertined the bridge club at her home Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Jim Lemley and Mrs. Fred Neitzert playing substitute hands. Mrs. Bob Herr received prize for high score. Following members were present: Mesdames A. C. Adams, P. G. Utley, Joe Thompson, Roy Thompson, Perry Davis, Francis Harfield, Ernest Jones, Bob Herr and W. M. Dillon. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The Parent-Teacher Association held its first meeting in the high school auditorium Tuesday night. The following committees were appointed: Membership, Mrs. P. G. Utley, Mrs. H. A. Wimer, Mrs. C. E. Foster and Mrs. W. P. Carr; finance, Mrs. Lyle Atkins, Mrs. O. W. Peithman, Mrs Louis P. Lay and Mrs. Ray Kelley; entertainment, Mrs. Charles F. Covey, Mrs. C. B. Means, Mrs. Roy Neighbors and Miss Corine Jackson; program, Mrs. H. E. Nichols, Mrs. G. W. Grove, Miss Treva Esken and Miss Mildred Morris; publicity, Mrs. Tom Beatty.

Mrs. J. R. Bruckhart of Redlands, Calif., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Margaret Hocker, left for her home Sunday.

The A. M. C. class of the Christian church met Tuesday in the basement of the church with an all day meeting. The devotionals were in charge of Mrs. John Lyle, assisted by Mrs. J. Morgan Harris. The following committees were appointed: Visiting, Mrs. Frank Sherman, Mrs. K. K. Swisher, Mrs. J. S. Covey and Mrs. W. J. Carr; kitchen, Mrs. Lee Campbell, Mrs. W. J. Carr and Mrs. George Boyd. Other than the above, members present were: Mrs. R. W. Dawes, son Robert, Mrs. William Davis, Mrs. G. W. Grove, Miss May Adcock, Mrs. A. M. Craig, Mrs. A. S. Adcock, Mrs. H. E. Nichols and Mrs. R. B. Mayes.

Allen Smith of Kansas City and Miss Mabel Smith of Warrensburg visited Sunday with their mother, Mrs Nimmie Smith and family.

Mrs. Newell Parker and daughter, Anita, spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Thurston.

Mrs. Charles Saults, Mrs. Elliott Foster, Mrs John Foster and C. S. Elliott, drove to Kansas City Tuesday to visit their uncle, O. F. Elliott, who underwent an operation at the Trinity Lutheran hospital last Saturday.

The following class officers of the high school were elected Tuesday:

Senior president, Goldie Drinkwater.
Vice president, Spencer Lane.
Secretary-Treasurer — Ray Chalfant.
Sponsor, Miss Corine Jackson.
Junior president, Betty Lou Elliott.
Vice president, Edna Baldwin.
Secretary-treasurer, Ruby Currier.
Sponsor, Miss Helen Hocker.
Sophomore president, Josephine Lay.
Vice president, Elizabeth Brim.
Secretary-treasurer, Ray Kelly.
Sponsor, Tom Johnson.
Preshman president, Richard Dawes.
Vice president, Betty Ann Covey.
Secretary-treasurer, Opal Yokley.
Sponsor, Miss Mildred Rogers.

The following attended the 25th annual session of the Johnson County Baptist Association held with the Enon Baptist church at Pittsville Thursday: Mrs. Tom Beatty, Mrs. Viola Elwell, Mrs. Ed Sartin, Mrs. Charles Crowley, Mrs. Ida Wise, Mrs. Clara Lewis, Mrs. Russell Kendrick and Miss Rena Lay.

Dr. G. W. Grove returned home Tuesday from Scircleville, Ind., after attending the funeral of his father, H. H. Grove Sunday afternoon. Mr. Grove was 84 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jones, children Betty, Martha Lee and Leon, left Tuesday for a week's vacation in Columbus, Ohio, also to attend a convention at the Ohio State Fair grounds M. L. McCrutchen of Sedalia is working in the place of station agent Jones in his absence.

Mrs. Laura Roadruck, Miss Florence Beatty, Miss Mabelle Jenks and Mrs. Ada House visited Mrs. Walter Green in Clinton Sunday afternoon.

Henry Blaine accompanied by Loran Roark of Kansas City and Charles Hagemeyer of Warrensburg, left last Saturday for a week's fishing trip at Lake Tanycoma.

Mrs. Alvin Bugbee of Honolulu, Hawaii, arrived Saturday for a short visit with Mr. Burgbee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bugbee.

Tipton Items

(By Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass)

Miss Kathryn Monroe has returned to St. Louis after a two weeks stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Monroe. Mr. Monroe, who has been ill, is much improved and rapidly regaining his health and strength.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Scott are spending some time in Bunceton, Mr. Scott acting as cashier of the Bunceton bank in place of his son, Earl Scott, who with Mrs. Scott is at Hot Springs, Ark., for his health.

E. G. Crawford, who underwent an operation at the Latham hospital is able to be at home.

Alva White, Sr., Ray White and Emmett Snorgrass attended the funeral Tuesday in Jefferson City of C. Asel.

Judge R. M. Hudson and his brothers Frank and Thomas Hudson and the latter's son, Homer, on Sunday motored to south of Clinton to their birthplace where they spent an enjoyable day.

Mrs. J. W. Marsh left Friday for Kansas City to spend the winter with her daughter, Miss Martha Marsh.

A. L. Finley and George Jordan motored to St. Louis Wednesday. Mrs. Finley accompanied them to Jefferson City where she was the guest for the day of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Chaney, Miss Lily and Chris Johns, Mrs. B. F. Bowline and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Vanderhoof attended the funeral Monday afternoon at Glensted of Mr. Chaney's father, Charley Chaney, whose death came Saturday after only a few hours illness. Mr. Chaney, a prominent and well known farmer, leaves another son, Henry, of the home, and five daughters. He was 82 years old.

Mrs. Kate Palmer has as her pleasant house guests her daughter Mrs. William Spar and children of Kansas City.

Dr. and Mrs. Don Robertson left early this week for Miami, Fla., after a two weeks stay with Dr. Robertson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robertson. Dr. Robertson for the past several years head of the surgical staff of the Henry Ford hospital in Detroit, will locate in Miami.

Misses Laura and Eleanor Maclay who spent the summer in their home here, have gone back to Concinnati where Miss Eleanor is head of the home economics department of the Ohio University.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass had as dinner guests Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Stark, their daughter Nancy Mildred and her friend Peggy Zietz of Jefferson City.

Miss Tilly Woods who spent the past several weeks in California with relatives, has returned to Tipton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Groves and son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ferguson were guests Sunday of the Groves' son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Groves of near Warrensburg.

Walter Cook, Tipton's night policeman, is enjoying a vacation which he is spending with his brother, William Cook of Houston, Texas. He motored through with his nephew, Fred Cook and Mrs. Cook and Gerald Daniels who had been visiting Missouri relatives.

Vincent Hecht who has been at home for the summer with his grandfather Joseph Schnickrath, has reentered the Kansas City School of Pharmacy for his second year's work. J. C. Collins motored them to Kansas City Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Ferguson was the guest Tuesday and Wednesday of Miss Sarah Louise Hays, a student in the Warrensburg State Teachers College, Miss Hays spending the last of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hays.

Mrs. Leonard Carey and daughter June left Friday for a short visit with Mr. Carey who is employed in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Opie Pulley motored to Kansas City Wednesday for a several days stay with relatives and friends.

At the regular monthly meeting of the D. of I lodge the members entertained their sate regent, Mrs. Mary O'Neill and Mrs. Bohling of St. Louis. After business a social period was enjoyed and a lunch served.

Mrs. Helen Hartman is the guest of her sister, Sister Helenwarda at St. Mary's Hill convent in Milwaukee, Wis.

District Deputy John McGaw and F. Bahner and L. J. Lawson of Sedalia were guests of the Knights of Columbus Wednesday evening and assisted in the installation of these officers:

Rev. Father John Metzdorf, chaplain; J. J. Kuttenkuler, grand knight; Otto Orscheln, deputy grand knight; T. A. Simpson, chancellor; Oscar Schmidt, financial secretary; Leo Kuttenkuler, recorder; O. W. Kline, treasurer; John Battles, warden; L. G. Imhoff, advocate; J. J. Brant, T. W. Franken and T. W. Kline, trustees; Joseph Orscheln, lecturer; Sylvester Schuster, Thomas Simpson, Francis Ketterlin, guards; Sylvester Schuster, Francis Ketterlin and Arnold Fischer, entertainment committee. A lunch followed the installation.

Green Ridge Items

(By Mrs. E. C. Vogelbaugh-

W. M. Reed who has been ill the past week is improving.

Dale Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rance Ray is much improved after several days illness.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Beuhler of San Bernardo, Calif., visited Mrs. Beuhler's sister, Mrs. C. A. Wisdom and Mr. Wisdom, the past week.

D. H. Murphy left the first of the week for Huntington, Indiana, to attend the annual reunion of the Bradley family, relatives of his mother. Mr. Murphy will also visit relatives at Peru, Idiana.

Mrs. Alice Julian of Clinton, is visiting her niece, Mrs. C. E. Barnett and family.

Mrs. Fred Colvin of Sedalia, visited over the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Charles Paige and Mr. Paige.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Berry and children motored to Jefferson City Sunday and visited the state capitol and other places of interest.

Mrs. W. E. Taylor of Meeker, Colo., was the guest of relatives and friends the past week.

Alton Myers who has been with the CCC camp the past three years and for the past year at Ogden, Utah, is home for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs J. B. Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Reed are home from a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Close and Mr. Close at Sibley, Illinois and Licking, Mo. Visiting also with Mr. Reed's aunt, Mrs. Hattie Farr at Columbia, Mo.

Elmo Beach of Chicago, has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. J. R. Caldwell and his uncle, L. B. Beach and family the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kendrick and daughter, Miss Earlene, were entertained Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Albert Bybee and Mr. Bybee in Sedalia. The occasion being the birthday anniversary of Mr. Kendrick

The Home Builders Class of the Presbyterian church held its September meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Kendrick with Mrs. Carl Johnson assisting hostess.

Mrs. Bruce McCampbell president of the class gave the devotional.

Members responded to roll call, named good and bad habits.

Mrs. Wilford Acker discussed "Overcoming Bad Habits."

Mrs. John Palmer discussed, "Acquiring Good Habits."

Plans were made for a reception for the teachers of the consolidated district to be given by Parent-Teacher Association and the class Monday evening at the church. Refreshments of ice cream and cup cakes were served at the close of the meeting.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Prairie View Methodist church met Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Purchase for an all day meeting. The business of the day was quilting. Thirty-six members and their families enjoyed a bountiful dinner to which all had contributed. Mrs. N. M. Dowdy became a member.

Miss Maud Ream whose home was destroyed by fire Tuesday night, has taken rooms in the residence formerly owned by the late Mrs. Ireland. Mrs. Hattie Reed who also had rooms in the Ream home, has taken rooms in the Ireland property.

E. J. Sims whose grocery store was destroyed by the same fire, has gone to Kansas City to purchase a new stock of groceries and other equipment for his market. He expects to open business again in a few days in the building occupied for many years by the late W. L. Brim.

Floyd Brownfield who saved some of his stock of groceries, moved back in the building on the east side he had vacated on Monday.

Sweet Springs Items

By Mrs. Waldo Andrews

Miss Mary Edith Parsons spent the week end with friends at Central College at Fayette.

Herbert Luke Senne went to St. Louis to enter the medical department of Washington university.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Chatham spent Sunday at Warrensburg with their niece Mrs. James Rothwell and family.

Messrs. Hunter Stallings and Lee Hansen of Minneapolis Minnesota arrived Wednesday to visit relatives of Mr. Stallings.

Mrs. E. C. John, Mrs. Gertrude Norman and Mrs. D. E. Smith visited Maurice John at William Jewell College at Liberty Monday.

Mrs. Eliza Davis and grandson Juddy Laird returned Saturday from Colorado Springs where they had spent the summer at the summer home of Mrs. Davis' daughter Mrs. Gilbert Ploger and Mr. Ploger.

Mrs. Warren Hedges spent the week end in Sedalia with her daughter Mrs. William Schlue and family.

Miss Dorothy Hatchen of Monrovia California arrived Sunday for a visit with her aunt Mrs. B. T. Bellamy. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bellamy and Miss Jessie Bellamy of Kansas City were guests of their mother Mrs. Bellamy Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Ringen spent Sunday at Florence with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ramseyer of Houstonia were guests Sunday of her sister Mrs. Ruth Weir and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Briggs Harriman of Adrain spent Sunday here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dierking.

Word has been received from James Wall who is working in Lawrence Kansas that he is spending his vacation in Colorado Springs with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wall of Sweet Springs who are spending the summer there.

Mrs. R. A. Waite and Miss Miriam Waite of St. Louis spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. George spent Sunday with relatives in Kansas City.

John Tisdale of Washington D. C. was a guest over the week end of his grandmother Mrs. A. J. Tisdale and other relatives here. He was on his way to Fayetteville Arkansas to attend the University this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas and sons spent Friday in Sedalia on business connected with the Uptown Theatre of which Mr. Thomas is manager.

Messes. Frank Nelson and Clifford Bray went to Versailles Sunday to attend a Port Masters convention.

James Pelot of Sedalia spent the week end with homefolks here.

Dr. J. M. Anderson, W. W. Anderson, Charles Pilot and Misses Sarah Anderson and Nettie Pilot spent Sunday afternoon in Richmond.

Miss Anna Rose Harrison went to Fulton Sunday to attend William Woods college.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Carsing of Joliet Ill., are guests of her brother Lester Turner and wife.

Mrs. Harold Klee and two children of St. Joseph are here for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Highley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurton Elmer moved Saturday to their new home on north Locust street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. G'Sell spent Saturday in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reid, Mrs. N. L. Yankee and Messes. Dollie and Kate Andrew spent Sunday at Waverly.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Eisen and family of Tulsa Okla., who have been visiting his mother Mrs. Fritz Eisen and his sister Miss Frohna left Friday for Jefferson City.

Miss Daisy Smith had as dinner guests at her home Tuesday evening Mrs. B. T. Bellamy, Mrs. A. P. Wilson, Mrs. William Greenwood, Mrs. C. K. Smith, Mrs. D. E. Simrall Mrs. J. R. Scott and her guest Miss Dorothy Hatchen of Monrovia California.

Miss Willa Smith was hostess to the Easy Aces Club at dinner at the Grey Goose Grill Tuesday evening. The guests then went to the Smith home for an evening of bridge. Honors were won by Mrs. C. A. Jackson and Mrs. Charles Berry. Other guests were Mrs. E. J. Hodges, Mrs. A. F. G'Sell, Mrs. Gertrude Milton, Mrs. D. E. Smith, Mrs. Glen Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thomas entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Leland Parsons of Mount Vernon who was visiting here.

Don't forget the big Fall Festival at Sweet Springs next Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Every afternoon and evening will be full of interesting activities.

Houstonia Items

(By Mrs. Bennie Martin)

Mrs. Earl Gregory was guest of honor at a surprise birthday party at her country home Thursday evening. The guests arrived at 8 o'clock bringing with them refreshments of ice cream and cake. Those attending were the honor guest Mrs. Gregory, Mr. Gregory and sons J. D. and Marian, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Koelling and son Donnie, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Werneke and sons James and Edgar, Mr. and Mrs. James Blackburn, son Jimmie and daughter Judith, Mrs. Ray Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Pauley and son Ralph, Miss Virginia Younger, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Lilly and daughter Una, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Haggard and daughter Lucille and sons Ray and Bob, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schonten and son Jackie, John Schondelmier, John Killion, Mrs. Fred Vaile and son Gordon and daughters Pauline, Bonnie and Vada, Mr. and Mrs. Junior McCarty, Miss Nina McCarty and James Houchen.

Mrs. Dewey Houchen and Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh very delightfully entertained a number of friends with a bridge party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Houchen on Wednesday evening, September 15. There were five tables of bridge players as follows: Mrs. L. P. Welborn, Mrs. Jack Morris, Mrs. Agnes Eads, Mrs. C. L. House, Mrs. Harold House, Mrs. Cloyd Leftwich, Mrs. Charles Carlin, Mrs. Lon Stone, Mrs. James Blackburn, Miss Elizabeth Parkhurst, Mrs. Jay Dorsey and Mrs. William Kiel of Colorado, Mrs. D. F. Rhinehart, Mrs. Less Coats, Mrs F. W. Hueben, Mrs. Herman Renken, Mrs. O. A. Milliken, Mrs. Wayne Westbrook, Mrs. Ocie Smith and Mrs. Georgia Tevebaugh. The hostesses served refreshments at the tables at the close of the game. Prizes for high score were merited by Mrs. Jack Morris; second high went to Mrs. Milliken and the traveling prize went to Mrs. Herman Renken.

The membership of the missionary society of the Methodist church met at the Werneke home Wednesday with Mrs. Walter Werneke hostess, with Mrs. Earl Gregory as assistant hostess. Mrs. Omer Morris leader of the program, the subject theme: "Christian Missions and the Social Leaven." Rev. M. L. Jeffers opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Morris, leader, was assisted on the program with Mrs. Jeffers, Mrs. L. P. Welborn, Mrs. Betty Crews, Mrs. Roy E. Freund, Mrs. J. E. Hand, Mrs. H. C. Kemp, Mrs. Jay Dorsey, Mrs. Pam Grinstead, Mrs. Festus Wicker. Thirty members were present.

The W. M. U. of the Baptist church held its September mission program and the regular monthly topic, "The Japanese," at the home of Mrs. J. W. Cooper in an all day session Wednesday. Mrs. George Janisch, leader, assisted by the following members: Mrs. Anna Tagtmeyer, Mrs. F. W. Hueben, Mrs. M. W. Benning, Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. D. F. Rhinehart, Mrs. Joe H. Williams. Guests besides the membership were Mrs. Mina Hedger and Mrs. Anna Dorsey. All contributed to the bountiful noon meal enjoyed by all present.

California Items

By Mrs. J. E. Zey

Mrs. Elizabeth Klatt, 82 years old died, at the home of her son Herman Klatt north of California, Wednesday, September 15, 1937 after several months illness. Two weeks ago she was moved from her home in California to the home of her son. Mrs. Klatt was the widow of Adolph Klatt who died 36 years ago, a son George Klatt died 25 years ago and another son Adolph was killed in the world war. Herman is the only surviving child.

Funeral services were held at the Lutheran church of which she was a member, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Rev. W. H. Schwab. Burial in the Lutheran cemetery.

Mrs. Roy Handley underwent an operation at St. Joseph hospital in Boonville a few days ago is getting along nicely.

The match games for the golf tournaments will start Sunday at the Country Club. The games will continue through the week of Sept. 26.

Mrs. Lawrence Gross of Portland Oregan arrived Saturday for a months visit with her mother, Mrs. Sallie Milburn.

Mrs. George Swanson who has been visiting her sister-in-law Miss Kate Swanson the past three weeks has returned to her home. The Swansons make their visit annually.

Bill Ashel who works at the fountain at the Honser drug store and has been confined to his home several weeks with rheumatism is able to be out some now.

E. G. Latham died Wednesday at the Latham Sanitarium after a lingering illness. Mr. Latham was 56 years old and a son of the late Dr. Latham and Mrs. Latham. Before his illness Mr. Latham was manager of the White Eagle service station for a number of years. He leaves his widow Mrs. Minnie Latham and his aged mother, two brothers Will Latham of California Mo., and Pete Latham of Milford Ore., and one sister Mrs. R. P. Alexander of Doniphan, Mo. Funeral services were held Friday September 17, 1937 at 2 o'clock at the Christian church at Latham of which Mr. Latham was a member. Burial was in the Latham cemetery.

Edw. Zey and Mrs. E. C. Byrd of Santa Fe, New Mexico are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Zey for two weeks. Edw. is with the Postal Telegraph Co., Mrs. Byrd is also with the Postal Telegraph Co.

Ionia Items

By Mrs. Homer Howe

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hampy entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Brockman, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brockman and children, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Brockman and family, Mrs. H. A. Elliott and John Knoop.

Little Betty Sue Rapp who is suffering from a dead bone in her foot was taken to Kansas City Tuesday for a treatment. They returned home the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Robinson and daughters Lois Pauline and Betty Jo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Nicholson in Sedalia. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howe and daughter Lillian Jean who visited with Mr. Howe's brother Otis Howe and Mrs. Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Ransdell and daughter Wilma Lee and William Ransdell visited over the week end with Mrs. Myrtle Morganstein and family in Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood made a business trip to the northern part of the state Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buehler of San Bernadino, California visited Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Schnabel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Neil were dinner guests Sunday of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Neil at Fort Lyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kelb and children Marietta and Lloyd were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kelb at Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Stockton are in St. Louis this week on business. Dwight Ayers of Windsor is in charge of the Rock Island station during Mr. Stockton's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mathews and Edward Knoop were Kansas City visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Francis Reed and Miss Jessie Willis visited Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Willis.

The Ionia Community fair will be held Saturday September 25.

Mrs. Belle Lacey had as dinner guests Sunday Mrs. Etta Howe and Miss Jewell Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Vanhoozer of Sedalia were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Tinker.

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrd and family from the state of Oregon and Mrs. Adam Byrd of Sedalia have been house guests the past week of Mr. Byrd's sister Mrs. L. O. Marsh and Mr. Marsh. On Friday Mr. and Mrs. Marsh and their guests were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood and family and Mrs. Clarence Neil attended the Murray reunion at Liberty Park in Sedalia Sunday.

Versailles Items

By Mrs. Bertle Huff

Dr. Alex Ravensway, of Boonville, Paul Clodfelter, Jackie Gunn, and Dotty Gunn of Versailles, got a nice cold bath in the Lake of the Ozarks Sunday when Dr. Ravensway's sail boat in which they were enjoying a cruise near the Bagnel Dam capsized in the rough waters, throwing them all into the water. "Dotty" had a life saver and the others swam. They were rescued in a short time otherwise it might have been quite a hazardous accident.

Mr. Leonard Ernest and Miss Madalyn Munkress, both of Versailles, were united in marriage Monday of this week at Harrisonville, Missouri. Rev. Richard Harbour, Episcopal minister, performed the ceremony.

They were accompanied to Harrisonville by the bride's brother Mr. Rohan Munkress, of Warrensburg.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Ernest are popular members of the younger set here and their marriage came as a surprise to their many friends. Mrs. Ernest for the past several months has been employed as cashier at the Royal theatre and Mr. Ernest is bookkeeper and office manager for the Hunter McDonough Motor Company.

Mrs. Ernest is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Munkress of Warrensburg. Mr. Ernest is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ernest Versailles. They will make t home in Versailles.

Mrs. C. H. Smoyer accompan Mr. Smoyer on a business trip Jefferson City Tuesday.

Wess Crumb of Marvin was business visitor in Versailles day of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Goodman as their guests several days week Mr. Goodman's sister, Mary Lehman and son Jas. Lehm and daughter, Mrs. A. A. McFarl of Hutchinson, Kansas.

Arthur Whittle of Sedalia a business visitor to Versailles day of this week.

The Morgan county agri improvement association wi lime next week on the Har farm, three miles north of les.

Waldo Bias and his brothe were painfully injured Frida of last week when the car in w they were riding collided wi truck belonging to Luther The accident occurred near Creek bridge a few miles so town. The injured were trea the offices of Drs. Gunn an

The Bias car was demoli the truck badly damage

William Hotsenpiller ville was found guilty a calf from A. L. Watrin court here this week an ishment set at two year state penitentiary.

L. M. Wilson made a busine to Eldon Wednesday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kidwell son spent Wednesday in Sedali

Richard H. Woods made a b ness trip to Jefferson City urday.

John Buchold of St. Louis s Tuesday and Wednesday in Ver les on business.

W. F. Berry and son, W. F. Be Jr., and Bill III made a business to Rolla Wednesday.

Attorney A. J. Bolinger ma business trip to Jefferson City nesday.

Mrs. Carl Meyer of James was a guest Tuesday of Mr Mrs. H. A. Meyer.

Chas. Bennett and Billy G attended a Standard Oil meetin Jefferson City Wednesday night

Mrs. Warren B. Todd and Etta F. Bohling spent Thursday Friday in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ensm and daughter were guests in home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles minger Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Merch St. Louis came Wednesday and will be guests of Mrs. Taylor until Friday.

Floyd Todd, after three visit with his parents, Mr. and W. B. Todd, left Monday noon Norfolk, Va.

Milton Ensminger of Kansa is spending an indefinite ti the home of his parents, M Mrs. Charles Ensminger.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lu west of Versailles, attende Murray reunion in Sedalia S at Liberty Park.

Mrs. James Carpenter was to the N. G. S. bridge club day afternoon. Mrs. Don Ha won the prize for high score.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Padge Shenandoah, Iowa, were gue Mr. and Mrs. John Bolten from day until Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Osborne Sedalia spent Sunday in Versaill guests of the former's mother, M P. G. Wood, Mrs. Irma Goddard turned Friday from Henderson, C rado, where she had spent a in the home of her brother-in- and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E Moore.

Mrs. Martha Bowen and grands Billy, were guests of Mr. and M L. A. Huffman, last of Versaill from Saturday until Wednesday.

Miss Irene Earnest of St. Jose hospital at Boonville was call home Wednesday due to the dea of her grandfather, J. W. Bybee, Cole Camp Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Clark of Gl stead spent Tuesday and Wedn day in Sedalia guests of th daughter, Mrs. A. A. Rosenhan a Mr. Rosenhan.

Miss Lois Holloway after spen ing the summer with her paren Judge and Mrs. S. J. Holloway le Friday for St. Joseph, Mo., whe she teaches again this winter.

LARGE BARN ON LAMM FARM BURN

One of the largest farm fe barns in the county was destro by fire of unknown origin abo o'clock Saturday afternoon on Lamm Brothers farm just west the Missouri State Fair ground The estimated loss was more th $3,500 according to Donald S. Lam one of the owners.

The barn 80x60 was filled wi sudan and oat hay and some fa equipment, valued at more th $500 The barn was valued $3,000. There was partial ins ance coverage on the barn none on the contents.

The last person known near t barn was about 11 o'clock Saturd morning and it was said he not smoke. The fire was disco ed about 2 o'clock in the aftern and before anything could be d to save the structure it was fire all over.

The farm is owned by Donald Henry Lamm.

JOBLESS MAN FINDS BUNDLE OF BIL

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 18.—L Correa, with a wife and so need of medical attention was ing for work yesterday. He stu onto $1350 in a bundle of Without hesitation he took the the nearest bank, which inves ed and learned a money transp tion firm had lost the money. Co today renewed his search for

Shields R. Smith Addresses Women On How To Improve 'Phone Service

Former Sedalian Gives Them Helpful Pointers In Convention Held at the Fair Grounds Here On Tuesday.

Shields R. Smith, general manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company with headquarters at St. Louis, was one of the speakers before the women's group of the Missouri Farmers' Association on Tuesday.

Mr. Smith, who spent many years in Sedalia as a young man and who, before being transferred to St. Louis, was district manager of the company here, said:

When Mr. Hirth telephoned me the other day, to ask me to come up here to discuss the subject of "Improving Rural Line Telephone Service," I told him I'd be glad to co[illegible] And when he went on to say th[illegible] he had rated my talk high en[illegible] to be made before the wom[illegible] of the Missouri Farmers' As[illegible] I was not only glad bu[illegible] to get here. I know from fir[illegible] experience that when far[illegible] women get behind an activity, tha[illegible] activity goes over with a bang. So [illegible] very happy to be here with you this morning.

Better Rural 'Phone Service

First, I want you women to know that I have a sympathetic understanding of the farm situation. I was born on a farm and, as a boy, worked on a farm not over fifteen miles from where I'm standing.

Secondly, the Telephone Company is interested in the farm situation and is sympathetic with problems of farmers because our company operates mainly in an agricultural area.

And the third thing I want to say to you right now is that I'm not here to sell you something. So you can relax your mind on that point. But I would like to have you think with me for a short time this morning, on the subject of how to improve rural line telephone service, your telephone service.

I can remember when the first rural telephone lines in Missouri were built. I should remember them. I helped to build some of them! The growth of rural lines was at first rapid. This development continued for five or six years until the peak of construction was reached during 1906 or 1907....The late[illegible] available report of the Missou[illegible] State Department of Agricultur[illegible] (1935) shows a total of 198,980 far[illegible] in Missouri. Of this number, 10[illegible]00 have telephones and 94,980 do not have telephones.

[illegible] most cases, rural telephone lines today are the original lines bu[illegible] 25 or 30 years ago. As a re[illegible] most of these lines are badly in need of improvement. Even a te[illegible]one pole won't stand up in the gr[illegible] forever. And unless attention is given to a telephone pole li[illegible] at least once a year, it is ju[illegible] getting itself into condition to be [illegible]own or pulled down by the fi[illegible] bit of severe weather.

[illegible] well this was proved by the sle[illegible] storm of last January!

[illegible] after the sleet storm (when hundreds of our own lines went down) we were aware of the fact that damage to rural lines was heavy and wide-spread. And we knew that something should be done about it. Now while I'm talking specifically about the farm area adjacent to the 95 exchanges in Missouri which we operate, we knew that the 600 Independent exchanges were also interested in this problem. So when we made our offer of assistance to our farmer line customers, that offer was concurred in by the Missouri Telephone Association and by the telephone companies in that association. The situation was discussed with Mr. Hirth and it was our combined opinion that the official paper of the Missouri Farmers' Association was the medium to inform Missouri farmers of our offer to assist.

In a three-quarter page ad in the February 1 issue of The Missouri Farmer, your official publication, we ran our offer of assistance under the heading "An Important Message To Owners of Farm Telephone Lines."

And in the next issue of The Missouri Farmer, dated February 15, we repeated our offer of assistance, in an ad headed "Have You Rebuilt [illegible] Ice-Wrecked Farm Telephone L[illegible]?"

Now I'll admit that the sleet damage to telephone lines last January was the result of unusual weather conditions. But such conditions had happened before, and they can happen again. If farmer owned telephone lines had been in better condition, the damage would probably have been less severe. Farmers would have been without telephone service a much shorter period of time. Keeping your farm line in good condition is both simple and inexpensive. The biggest item is labor.

Urges Keeping up Lines

Well, what are some of the requirements for keeping your telephone line in good condition. I'll list a few for you. If you have a pencil and a piece of paper you might like to write them down. Otherwise, you can make mental notes. If there should be some questions in your mind, make a note of them and ask your local telephone representative. Most problems are of local nature so I shall not attempt to answer questions here today.

It is not necessary to use high priced poles. I recommend native poles—oak, black locust or hedge. It is best to season and bark them for long life.

First. It is necessary to replace missing poles.

Second. It is necessary to reset and straighten up poles that are leaning or replace if they are defective.

Third. Removal of foliage. If a line is running through some tree branches it impairs the transmission or hearing qualities of that line.

Fourth. Replacement of insulators. And don't think this isn't important if you want satisfactory and dependable service.

Fifth. Replacement of any defective wire.

Sixth. Badly leaning corners should be braced and anchored.

Seventh. Pulling slack out of a wire span (from one pole to another). This is important if you want a clear line. Too much slack makes the line noisy, makes the line wear out quicker where it is connected to insulators, and probably worst of all a slack line gets caught in branches, fences and other lines, and this just plays heck with telephone service.

And while I'm talking about specific things to do (or to get friend husband to do) in order to have dependable telephone service, I'd like to have you consider changing to metallic service, that is, two-wires for the circuit instead of one wire and a ground return. I should like to have you consider changing to metallic service for one definite reason, the extension of power lines in rural areas. Now I'm not complaining of the power lines. I don't blame you for wanting electric current for lights and a washing machine, etc, etc. I'm not here to talk about power lines. I'm here to talk about your telephone service. And you should by all means rebuild and go to a two-wire system. The improvement in your service will justify the cost of changing.

Now what I've been talking about up to this time has to do with the improvement of outside plant. But what about the condition of your telephone instrument? The chances are (and I've seen plenty of them) that it is as old as the telephone line. If that is the case, let me urge you to unscrew it from the wall, when you get back home, and take it into one of our exchanges. We'll line is in good condition, and your telephone instrument has been pronounced OK, you should see to it that you have proper lightning and ground protection for either metallic or ground circuits.

And just a word here about joints or wire connections. For the best telephone service, tight wire connections are necessary. Clothes line joints are no good. And if you don't know how to make a tight telephone wire connection (and most persons don't know) then ask the nearest telephone man about making them. He'll be glad to show you.

Ever since the first sleet storm ads last February we have continued to stress the importance of good telephone service. And it is a little disheartening to find that only a comparatively few Missouri farmers have rebuilt or reconditioned their lines. A rather high percentage of farmers have reconnected their telephone lines, but connected is about all one can say for many of them, since they are barely "talkable" and that's all....until the next big wind comes along....and then many of them won't even be talkable.

Now as I said in the beginning I'm not here to sell you anything. On the other hand, there's no need of my trying to fool you into thinking that a dependable line will cost you no money. A good and reliable telephone service is not as free as the air you breathe. But you'll be surprised how little it does cost to have telephone service that is clear and a service on which you can depend at all times. I want you to know that the telephone company will be glad to help you work out your telephone problems. Building and maintaining dependable telephone lines is a big part of our business. And we should know by this time how to build a good telephone line. In fact we do know. And each of you may have the benefit of our experience, our assistance and advice, for the asking.

If you want a dependable telephone service on your farm, talk to your neighbors about it. Talk with the other women in your club about it. Get behind friend husband and tell him it is high time he did something so that you could have a telephone that works and works all the time. The local telephone man would be glad to help with the problem.

You do that, and things will begin to happen. The slightest interest on your part will get you the help of your local telephone man.

Service Is Necessary

Most of my talk this morning has had to do with improving your telephone line and your telephone service. Now I'd like to say a few words about Value. We have been running a series of ads in the Missouri Farmer which discussed the value of telephone service. There's a value in being able to telephone a doctor, in being able to phone in for a replacement of a broken piece of machinery, in being able to summon help if the barn catches on fire, and there's a lot of value in being able to call your neighbor down the road, just to chat.

I'm not going to attempt to measure the value of telephone service on the farm. One single call may be worth the lifetime cost of a telephone. So it is almost impossible to actually measure value. But I will say this, full value comes with reliable service. And finally, value should not be measured by the cost or rate you pay. Telephone rates in Missouri are reasonable. And most complaints arise not from the cost of the service but from poor service which deprives the farmer of the full value of his telephone.

To get the greatest value from your telephone it must be dependable. Rain, shine, or storm, it must work, and work satisfactorily. But dependable telephone service doesn't just happen....it is built, and then maintained....The Telephone Company is ready and willing to help the farmer get the most and the best telephone service for his time, effort and expenditure. Therefore, improvement of farm telephone service awaits a definite expression of interest on the part of the farmer himself.

ANNUAL MEETING OF TUBERCULOSIS GROUP IS HELD

I. H. Reed Elected Pettis County President—Advisory Board Named

The annual meeting of the Pettis County Tuberculosis Association was held Tuesday at Hotel Bothwell with President Philip McLaughlin presiding. Miss Betty Fields, school nurse, reported on the special skin testing which has been sponsored by the Pettis County Tuberculosis Association. Miss Fields reported that 363 Sedalia children had been given the tuberculin skin test with 73 positive reactions. In addition two mothers were tested and X-rayed, one of the mothers now being in Webb City receiving sanatorium treatment. Practically all of the above children who had positive reaction from the tests have been X-rayed and the X-rays sent to Mt. Vernon Sanatorium for reading and recommendations.

Mr. McLaughlin in his annual report commented upon the skin testing in the county schools which was done by Miss Mabel Marvin, registered nurse, last fall. Miss Marvin in her work visited all of the county schools, giving educational talks and skin tests. Following up her work 184 X-rays were made with 21 positive active cases of tuberculosis.

Charles L. Hanley, treasurer, gave his annual report.

I. H. Reed President

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: I. H. Reed, president; Dr. A. L. Walters, vice president; Mrs. Phil Burford secretary; Charles L. Hanley, treasurer. The advisory board elected at Tuesday night's meeting is as follows: Dr. John B. Carlisle, Mrs. J. C. Connor, Miss Betty Fields, Paul Hedderich, Arthur Hoffman, Philip McLaughlin, Mrs. Claire Montgomery, Joe Rosenthal, C. F. Scotten. R. Schellhorn, all of Sedalia, and C. A. Wisdom, Green Ridge; W. C. Westbrook, Houstonia; Prof. Snider, Hughesville; Malcolm C. Scott, LaMonte and Mrs. E. E. Holtzen, Smithton.

Plans were made for an educational program for October 27, 28 and 29. This program will consist of pictures telling the story of tuberculosis which will be shown and discussed by Charles A. Freck, executive secretary of the Missouri Tuberculosis Association. Five showings and talks will be made each day, covering all of the high schools in the county and as many civic groups throughout the county as can be arranged for.

Mr. Reed commenting on the program for the coming year stated that more than 2,000 lives are taken each year in Missouri by this dreaded disease. Last year in Missouri 122 children of school age died of tuberculosis—died of a preventable, cuable and controllable disease. This is more than the total claimed by five of the common childhood diseases. The only funds with which to carry on the prevention, control and cure of this disease in Pettis county is through the sale of Christmas Seals which is held annually from Thanksgiving to Christmas. A program has been started in Pettis county which must be continued. It is hoped that more of the people of Sedalia and Pettis county will support our Seal Sale this year than in the past, Mr. Reed stated.

The advisory board will meet next month to complete plans for the annual seal sale. The board extended its appreciation to Mr. McLaughlin who has served as president for the past two years; to Mrs. Burford who has served as secretary for the past three years; to Mr. Hanley who has served as treasurer for the past three years and to the Pettis County Medical Society for its counsel and cooperation.

CAPTAIN OF PRISON GUARD NEAR DEATH

SACRAMENTO, Calif., Sept. 21.—W. J. Ryan, captain of the guard at Folsom state prison, was reported near death in a hospital here today from knife wounds received during a desperate battle with convicts at the prison Sunday.

Ryan was stabbed six times, once in a lung. Warden Clarence Larkin, slashed 12 times, was still in danger, although doctors said his condition was "satisfactory."

District Attorney Otis D. Babcock summoned the Sacramento County grand jury to meet tomorrow and investigate the attempted prison break in which another guard and two convicts were killed. Babcock said he would demand death in California's new lethal gas chamber for five other men involved in the escape attempt.

Marriage License Issued

Ralph Drake Salmon and Hazel Louise Neighbors, both of Sedalia.

Windsor Items

(By W. T. Jordan)

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Richardson went to Leeton Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Porter Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. James Parker of Springfield spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kilburn.

Mrs. Smith of Bowen spent Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Eldon Edmondson.

Last Friday the Rebekahs had their quilting as usual at the I. O. O. F. hall. Mrs. Roehrs and daughter were guests. At noon a covered dish lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Roehrs moved the last of the past week to Eldon, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Freund, Mrs. Harry Ordway, Mrs. Lloyd Merrifield and Pansey Lee Douglas were Kansas City shopers and Jubilesta visitors Saturday.

The B. and P. W. Club held its regular monthly meeting in Mrs. Huston's garden Monday night, with a steak fry. The program was in charge of the finance committee, with Miss Illene Jones, chairman. The subject under discussion was the first of a series of discussions on "Our Town's Business." The club will sponsor a hobby and craft display at the fall show in October for young folks under the age of 18.

Oliver Rundel of Warrensburg came to Windsor Wednesday to assume his new duties as pharmacist at the Shadburne Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Oakes, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wesner spent the week end at the Oakes cabin on Grand river.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Whitten of Marshall and daughter, Diane spent the week end here with home folks.

Mrs. George Wesner and children, Mack and Joyce visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Elkins in Sedalia.

Mesdames Fred Winzenried and John Ferguson gave a shower Tuesday night at the Ferguson apartment for Mrs. Frank Phifer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Alexander will entertain their bridge club Wednesday night at their home in the country. Mr. and Mrs. George Windsor will be special guests.

Miss Ruth Hand entertained the H. B. M. Club last Thursday evening with all the members present. A new member, Mrs. Lavona Harris Wagoner was received into the club. The evening was delightfully spent in a treasure hunt. Refreshments were served.

Miss Lulu Cook of Clinton was entertained last Wednesday evening with a weiner roast at the park by the following girls of the telephone exchange: Lucille Hall, Adeline Ira, Lavona Wagoner, Virginia Renfro and Naomi Moulder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Valentine had as their guests last week, Mrs. Robert Christiansen of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Pete Schmalfeldt of Kansas City.

Lynn Burgess left Tuesday for the Naval Academy at Annapolis. Md.

Mrs. Thomas Mayfield was hostess last Friday evening to the Merry Go Round Club. Contract bridge was played. Mrs. Scott Sappington captured the prize for high score of the members. Guest prize to Mrs. Windsor. Extra guests present were Mrs. Charles Burgess, Jr., Mrs. J. R. Yelton and Mrs. George Windsor. Refreshments were served after the game.

Clay Peters came from Los Angeles, Calif., after his mother, Mrs. Mabelle Peters. They left Sunday by auto for California.

Mrs. Scott Sappington and Mrs. Lloyd Port were hostesses Monday to the P. E. O. Chapter at a 1 o'clock luncheon. Mrs. Roy Milam had charge of the program and gave a report on her trip last week to the Supreme Convention in St. Louis.

A family dinner was held Sunday at the home of Mrs. Blanche Mayfield on South Main street. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Logan Mayfield of Devon, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Buell Orchard and son, of Springfield; Mrs. Emmett Bagby of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Logan Wall and Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Huston and babe, Sue Ellis; Merritt Mayfield of Creighton and Mrs. Blanche Mayfield.

O. E. S. Chapter held regular meeting Friday night at Masonic hall. Refreshments were served.

Rev. and Mrs. Rogene Weathers are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Weathers, and attending the call of the Board of Missions of M. E. church, South, where he goes soon to Africa as a missionary.

To close the work of the conference year a basket dinner was served at the church Sunday afternoon. Presiding Elder Starkey held the closing quarterly conference. Rev. Firestone will leave Wednesday for Jefferson City to attend the Southwestern annual conference.

Mrs. T. H. Hickman was here Sunday afternoon from Warrensburg to visit friends.

Mrs. Edna Herndon and John Gordon were married in Sedalia last Wednesday.

Miss Nelle Thompson and sister, Miss Lelia and mother spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowen.

Mrs. C. A. Carter returned home from Boonville Sunday where she had been spending the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Craig.

Miss Dode Wells went to Boonville Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. Margaret Holt.

J. R. Ferguson went to Zanesville, Ohio Friday after his wife. They arrived home Tuesday.

Jim Ferguson returned Monday from Louisiana.

Mrs. W. T. Jordan, Jerry Jordan, Mrs. Harry Winzenried and Frank Winzenried attended the Jubilesta in Kansas City last Saturday.

PURCHASE SITE FOR NEW STATE OFFICE BUILDING

Grounds For State Office Building and Prison Are Chosen

JEFFERSON CITY, Sept. 23 —(AP)—Gov. Lloyd C. Stark announced late Wednesday purchase of sites or the new state office building and "outgoing prison."

The office building, for which the last legislature appropriated $850,000, will be situated just west of the supreme court building and southwest of the capitol. The site was purchased for $39,750.

Stark, who announced the purchases as chairman of the board of the permanent seat of government, said that an architect for the building will be appointed as soon as the title is approved by Attorney General Roy McKittrick. Plans for the design and height of the building will be worked out with the architect.

The building will be completed by Jan. 1, 1939, so that the space will be available for the exodus of bureaus and commissions when the next legislature meets, the board announced.

The site for the new prison, to be used for 600 outgoing convicts, is eight miles northwest of Jefferson City on the south bank of the Missouri river. It consists of 1,255 acres and was purchased for $70,000 from Dr. W. P. Dallas.

The penitentiary, for which an $850,000 PWA grant has been secured, probably will be built on the 100 acres of hill land on the Dallas farm, the board said.

Paul V. Renz, farm commissioner of the state penal board who recommended the Dallas property as the best of five sites offered, said that the 1,155 acres of river bottom land on the Dallas farm were suited to "our type of farming." The farm has been leased by the penal board for the last four years.

Stark said that Gentry, Voskamp and Neville, Kansas City architectural firm which will design the penitentiary, Charles A. Haskins, chief engineer for the bi-partisan advisory board, and Eugene S. Klein, supervising architect for state penal institutions, will confer with federal prison officials on the new prison in Kansas City tomorrow at the conference of the interstate commission on crime.

Members of the state board said the purchase price for the two sites represented a substantial saving for the state. They pointed out that the last legislature appropriated $100,000 for buying land for state purposes, expecting all of it to be needed for the office building site, but that both sites were obtained for $10,000 more than the appropriation.

AT CENTENNIAL AT CHILLICOTHE

Mrs. J. A. Thistlethwaite is home from Chillicothe, Mo., where she attended the centennial celebration held there and visited her son, Gerald Thistlethwaite, city editor of the Chillicothe Tribune, a former member of the Democrat and Capital staffs here.

Mr. Thistlethwaite was in charge of gathering news and illustrations for a mammoth edition of that newspaper which had 112 pages.

It was gotten out in three months work by the regular staff with no extra help and besides carrying stories of interest and of historical import for a period of twenty years on back to the founding of Liviingston county had an exceptionally large volume of advertising.

O. F. ELLIOTT DIES AFTER OPERATION

Oliver F. Elliott, 74, a retired carpenter, died Monday night at Trinity Lutheran hospital in Kansas City following an operation ten days ago.

Mr. Elliott was not married and leaves no immediate relatives.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Presbyterian church in Knob Noster this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by the Rev. S. G. McCluney assisted by Rev. W. T. Farley.

No other arrangements have been made.

TWO SUSPECTS IN THEFT OF WIRE

The police at Marshall notified Chief of Police John J. O'Brien today, they had arrested two youths who they said have confessed to stealing wire from the Bell Telephone Co., and selling the wire to the Harris Cohen Junk Co., here.

Chief O'Brien Monday afternoon went to the junk company and found the wire which the boys are reported to have sold. He took it to police headquarters and turned it over to the officials from Marshall.

The names of the boys were not learned by Chief O'Brien.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Adrian Gosney and Nettie Mae Kelly, both of Eldon.

Roy K. Turner, Warrensburg and Marguerite Butler of Knob Noster.

John Gordon and Edna O. Herndon, both of Windsor.

Orylan Irven Chancellor and Margaret Josephine Johnston, both of Sedalia.

Byron Barber and Leona Shull both of Sedalia.

CATTLE & GRAIN MARKETS

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 9,000; mostly steady to 10 cents higher than Wednesday's average; spots 15 cents up on sows; top $12.50; bulk good and choice 190 to 230 pounds $12.30 to $12.50; 240 to 300 pounds $12.00 to $12.45; 150 to 180 pounds $11.70 to $12.35; most good packing sows $10.85 to $11.20; best light weights up to $11.25 and better.

Cattle 7,000; calves 1,200; very slow; weight at premium; steers scaling over 1,100 pounds about steady; light kinds from 950 pounds down weak to 25 cents lower; top $18.50 paid for 1,100 pound averages; several loads $14.50 to $16.75; weighty few cows fully steady; others steady to weak at $7.50 on sausage offerings; vealers fully steady, mostly $12.50 to $13.50; stockers and feeders 25 cents lower; light medium stockers off more.

Sheep 8,000 including 4,000 direct; spring lambs only fairly active; most early sales about steady; some bids lower; natives mostly $10.50; several lots $10.75; others held $10.85 to $11.00; westerns $10.25 to $10.65 mostly; sheep steady; native ewes $3.50 to $4.75.

St. Louis Live Stock

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Sept. 23.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 5,000; none through; 300 directs; market active; 10 to 15 cents higher; top $12.40; bulk 150 to 250 pounds $12.25 to $12.35; 260 to 310 pounds $12.00 to $12.25; good to choice 130 to 140 pounds $11.75 to $12.10; 100 to 130 pounds $11.00 to $11.85; mostly $11.25 up; good sows $10.40 to $10.85, mostly.

Cattle 4,500; calves 2,000; includes 1,500 cattle and calves through; very light steer run meeting slow inquiry; no early sales; heifers and mixed yearlings, as well as some early sales cowstuff, about steady, but slow; bulls unchanged; vealers 50 cents lower, top 11.75; few heifers and mixed yearlings $6.00 to $9.00; beef cows $5.25 to $6.50; cutters and low cutters $4.00 to $4.75; top sausage bulls $7.00; nominal range slaughter steers $7.00 to $17.75, slaughter steers 7.00 to $17.75; slaughter heifers $5.50 to $15.50.

Sheep 4,000; includes 2,000 through; no early action; packers talking lower on spring lambs; asking steady; receipts include two doubles of wethers.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 23.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs, 1,500; no directs; fairly active 10 to 15 cents higher than Wednesday's average; top $11.90; part load $12.00; good to choice 170 to 300 pounds $11.60 to $11.90; few 140 to 160 pounds $10.75 to $11.60; sows $10.00 to $1.75; few $10.85; prospects $10.75 down.

Cattle 2,800; calves 800; killing classes of cattle slow, steady to easier; some bids lower on beef steers and yearlings; vealers steady; killing calves steady to weak; stockers and feeders little changed; most grass steers elegible to sell from $7.50 to $10.75; short fed westerns held upward to $13.00; butcher cows $5.00 to $7.25; most grass heifers $5.50 to $8.00; selected vealers up to $11.00.

Sheep 4,000; sheep around 25 cents higher; early sales spring lambs about steady; choice Colorado spring lambs to shippers $10.35; no range lambs sold to packers; natives down from $10.00; range ewes $4.50.

By B. C. CHRISTOPHER AND CO.
314½ South Ohio Street
Sedalia, Mo.

Kansas City Grain Table

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 23.—

	High	Low	Close Thurs.	Close Wed.
WHEAT—				
Sept	$1.03⅛	$1.02⅜	$1.03⅛	$1.01⅛
Dec	$1.02⅝	$1.01½	$1.02½	$1.00¾
May	$1.03½	$1.02⅜	$1.03¼	$1.01¾
CORN—				
Sept	$1.01⅞	$1.00	$1.00	.97⅞
Dec	.64⅛	.63½	.63½	.63¼

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close Thurs.	Close Wed.
WHEAT—				
Sept	$1.07⅝	$1.06½	$1.07⅝	$1.05⅜
Dec	$1.07⅜	$1.06¼	$1.07¼	$1.05⅝
May	$1.08¾	$1.07⅝	$1.08⅜	$1.07¼
CORN				
Sept	$1.14¾	$1.11½	$1.12	$1.12½
Oct	.73½	.72½	.72½	.72¾
Dec	.66⅝	.65⅜	.65½	.65⅛
May	.66⅝	.65¾	.65¾	.65¼
OATS—				
Sept	.32⅝	.31⅝	.31⅞	.32½
Dec	.31¼	.30⅞	.31	.31
May	.32⅛	.31⅞	.32⅛	.32
SOY BEANS—				
Oct	.96	.95¼	.95¼	.95¾
Dec	.94¾	.93¾	.93¾	.94⅛
May	.96¼	.95½	.95½	.95⅝
RYE—				
Sept	.83½	.82¾	.83½	.82⅝
Dec	.80½	.79¾	.80½	.79¾
May	.80⅜	.79½	.80¼	.79⅝

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 23.—(AP)—Wheat: 109 cars; ¼ cent lower to 1¾ cent higher. No. 2 dark hard $1.11¾ to $1.15; No. 3, $1.07½ to $1.13¼; No. 2 hard $1.08¾ to $1.12; No. 3 nominal $1.04½ to $1.25½; No. 2 red, nominal $1.06½ to $1.09½; No. 3, nominal $1.03½ to $1.07½.

Close: Sept. $1.03⅛; Dec. $1.02½; May $1.03¼.

Corn: 9 cars; 1½ cent lower to ½ cent higher. No. 2 white, nominal $1.00 to $1.03; No. 3, nominal 96c to $1.02; No. 2 yellow $1.00; No. 3, nominal 96c to $1.01; No. 2 mixed, nominal 98c to $1.01; No. 3, nominal 95c to $1.00.

Close: Sept. $1.00; Dec. 63¾c; May 64⅝c.

Oats: 2 cars; ¼ cent higher to ¼ cent lower. No. 2 white, nominal 32¼c to 33¼c; No. 3, nominal 30¾c to 32¼c.

Milo maize, nominal $1.21 to $1.38.

Kafir, nominal $1.19 to $1.34.

Rye, nominal 75c to 77c.

Barley, nominal 45c to 62c.

St. Louis Grain Market

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 23.—(AP)—Cash—Wheat: No. 2 red $1.10½; No. 3, $1.08½ to $1.09.

Corn: None.

Oats: No. 2 white 34½c.

CLOSE—

Wheat: Dec. $1.07⅞; May $1.08½.

Corn: Dec. 65½c; May 66¼c.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—(AP)—Butter, 13,319, weak; creamery specials (93 score) 35c to 35½c; extras (92 score) 34½c; extra firsts (90-91 score) 34c to to 34¼c; firsts (88-89 score) 32½c to 33¼c; seconds (84-87½ score) 28½c to 31½c; extra firsts local 24½c; cars 25c; fresh graded firsts local 23½c; cars 24¼c; current receipts 21¾c.

Kansas City Produce

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 23.—(AP)—Produce: Eggs 21½c.

Creamery butter 34½c; butterfat 31c to 33c; packing butter 18c.

Poultry: Hens 17½c to 20c; roosters 10c to 12c; springs 17c to 21c; broilers 20c to 23c.

St. Louis Produce

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 23.—(AP)—Eggs: Missouri standards 24½c; Missouri No. 1, 22c; undergrades 14c to 16c.

Butter: Creamery extras 36c to 36½c; standards 36c; firsts 31½c; seconds 30½c.

Butterfat: No. 1, 33c; No. 2, 31c.

Cheese: Northern Twins 20c.

Poultry: Hens 13c to 21c; Leghorns 10c to 13c; springs 20c to 22c; spring Leghorns 18c; turkeys, spring 17c; old hens 15c to 17c; old toms 15c; No. 2, 10c; ducks, spring 13c to 15c; old 6c to 8c; geese, springs 10c; old 5c.

CITY TO LIGHT NEW UNDERPASS ON BROADWAY

Council Votes Emergency Measure At Special Meeting

An emergency ordinance providing for arc lights to be placed at the pedestrian entrances of the underpass on east Broadway boulevard was passed by the city council meeting in special session Monday night.

An ordinance for lights at the intersection of Harvey and Depp streets was voted down.

Dr. F. M. Fulkerson reported the completion of the new fire station in East Sedalia and a motion was passed to install a furnace in the building.

A request for rezoning made by F. S. Butterwick was again referred to the zoning board who will advertize it for ten days before acting.

S. J. Timborious, chairman of the Street and Alley committee, asked permission of the council to make repairs on the dip at Sixteenth and Sneed streets similar to those recently finished at Second and Missouri Avenue. The corrections will be made if the budget of the department will permit.

The council discussed at some length the condition of North Osage Avenue which has been graveled. Residents along the street have been complaining of the dust which is raised by motorists passing along the street at an excessive rate of speed. Unable to come to a decision the council referred the matter to the Street Committee.

An application by Joe Chasnoff to sell package liquor at Fourth and Ohio avenue was granted.

The contract for the city delinquent tax list was awarded to Dan M. Carr, Jr.

HOMEMAKERS OF PRAIRIE RIDGE MET

The ladies of the Prairie Ridge Home Makers club met at the home of Mrs. Jerome Younger, September 16.

Mrs. Jason Chamberlain, the president, had charge of the meeting, had the devotional and business meeting in the morning. At noon a most bountiful dinner was served, which every one enjoyed.

After a very pleasant social hour, a scrap book containing over eighty varieties of pressed wild flowers, mounted by Mrs. Dave Green and Mrs. Harry Tevis was shown.

The club song, "Stars of a Summer Night," was sung by the club.

A reading, "Christian Driving," by Mrs. Jim Ezell, was appreciated very much.

Visitors present were Mrs. Lee Hanley, Mrs. Jim Ezell, Misses Ella and Dollie Stratton.

The October meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Dave Greer.

DAILY POULTRY AND EGG MARKET

(Furnished By Swift and Co.)

The following prices delivered Sedalia for good quality poultry—free of feed: No. 2 poultry paid for at market value.

Fowl over 5 pounds	19c
Fowl, 4 to 5 pounds	17c
Fowl under 4 pounds	15c
Leghorn fowl	14c
Springs over 5 pounds	21c
Springs, over 4 to 5 pounds	19c
Springs, 4 pounds and under	17c
Leghorn springs	16c
Cox, over 4½ pounds	11c
Cox, 4½ pounds and under	10c
FRESH EGGS	
Henneries	24c
No. 1 eggs	20c
No. 2 eggs	15c
No. 1 cream	34c

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI,)
(SS.
COUNTY OF PETTIS)

In the Circuit Court of Pettis County, Missouri, September Term, 1937.

Helen Coombs..................Plaintiff
vs.
John Coombs ....Defendant

The State of Missouri to the Above Named Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby notified than an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of the County of Pettis, in the State of Missouri, for the purpose of dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore contracted between the Plaintiff and Defendant herein, on the grounds as laid out in the petition filed in this case.

Which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said Court, to-wit November 1st, 1937 to be held at the Court House in the City of Sedalia, in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri, when and where you may appear and defend such action; otherwise plaintiff's Petition will be taken as confessed and Judgment rendered accordingly.

(Seal) A True Copy from the Record.
J. H. PERDUE,
Circuit Clerk.
By BRYAN HOWE, D. C.
H. K. Bente, Plaintiff's Attorney

NEW UNDERPASS IS OPEN TO TRAFFIC

The underpass at the Katy and Missouri Pacific tracks on East Broadway was opened to traffic Wednesday morning after fifteen months of construction.

The police department and traffic officials advise motorists entering the underpass from the south on Ingram avenue to exercise caution because of the steep dip in the street that was made necessary to reach the highway level.

The completion of the underpass removes the danger of a crossing of railway tracks on highway 50, which carries heavy traffic both by passenger cars, trucks and other vehicles.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Under Deed of Trust

Because of default in the payment of taxes and indebtedness secured by deed of trust executed by Mabel L. Wharton, and William A. Wharton, her husband, dated September 1, 1928 and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Pettis County, Missouri, in Book 332, Page 355, conveying unto Jesse R. Clark, Jr., and The St. Louis Union Trust Company as Trustees.

Lot One (1) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) and the West Half (W½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Eighteen (18), Township Forty-four (44), Range Twenty-two (22), and the South Fifty (50) acres of Lot One (1) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section One (1), Township Forty-four (44), Range Twenty-three (23) containing Two Hundred Ten (210) acres

in Pettis County, Missouri, the legal holder of the written obligations and claims secured by said deed of trust has declared the whole thereof due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, and has, by written instrument duly filed for record, requested me, the undersigned, to foreclose said deed of trust, therefore, I will, in response to said request, made in accordance with the terms and provisions of said deed of trust and under the authority therein provided, sell said real estate at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, on Monday, the 4th day of October 1937, between the hours of 9:00 o'clock A. M., and 5:00 o'clock P. M., at the West Front door of the Court House in Sedalia, Pettis County, Missouri, to satisfy said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust, or so much thereof as the proceeds of such sale may be sufficient to pay.

W. L. MARLIN,
Sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri.
First published Sept. 10, 1937.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas Edwin H. Berry and Mary W. Berry, his wife, by their deed of trust dated November 10th, 1928, and recorded in the recorder's office within and for Pettis County, Missouri in book No. 330, page 157 conveyed to the undersigned trustee the following described real estate lying and being situate in the county of Pettis and State of Missouri, to-wit:

The east half of the southeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter also the east half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter in Section 23, and the southwest quarter and the south half of the northwest quarter in Section 24, and the north half of the northwest quarter in Section 25 and the north half of the northeast quarter in Section 26, all in Township 48, Range 23.

which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of one certain note fully described in said deed of trust; and whereas default has been made in the payment of the interest on said note and taxes against said land advanced, for which reason the entire debt was declared due and payable, now past due and unpaid. Now therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note and pursuant to the conditions of said deed of trust, I will proceed to sell the above described premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the court house in the city of Sedalia, County of Pettis and State of Missouri, on Tuesday, October 5th, 1937, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, for the purpose of satisfying said debt, interest and costs.

James A. De Armond, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

By reason of default in payment of interest due March 1st, 1937, on indebtedness secured by deed of trust from Raymond Snow and Ray Snow, both single, dated March 1st 1934, recorded October 31st ,1934, in Book 361, Page 165, of the records of Pettis County, Missouri, conveying to O. M. Krueger, as trustee, the following described real estate in Pettis County, Missouri, to-wit:

The northwest Quarter (NW¼) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) and the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-nine (29); and the south half (S½) of the Northeast quarter (NE¼) and the north half (N½) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty (30), except the west Thirty-three (33) feet of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of said Section Thirty (30) and also except the following: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty (30), thence East Thirty-three (33) feet, thence in a Northwest direction to a point Thirty-three (33) feet North of the place of beginning, thence south to the place of beginning, all in Township Forty-six (46) North, Range Twenty-three (23) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing two hundred thirty-nine (239) acres, more or less,

the undersigned substituted trustee, appointed by the owner and holder of said indebtedness under the terms of said deed of trust, will at the request of said owner, sell said real estate at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, at the west front door of the Pettis County Court House in Sedalia, Missouri, on Tuesday, September 28th 1937, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M., and five o'clock P. M., of said day to pay said indebtedness and costs of sale.

H. C. HIRNI,
Substituted Trustee.

HIRTH ELECTED M. F. A. PRESIDENT FOR NINTH TIME

Pass Amendment to Let Town People Join Organization

HEINKEL RE-ELECTED

M. F. A. SPEAKER

William Hirth of Columbia who spoke Monday afternoon at the twenty-first annual Missouri Farmers' convention being held in the coliseum on the state fair grounds.

William Hirth of Columbia was unamiously elected president of the Missouri Farmers Association for the ninth year at the close of the twenty-first annual convention here Tuesday.

F. V. Heinkel of Labaddie, was reelected vice president.

New members elected to the board of directors from six districts were: McNally of Kohoka, district 1; J. B. Wheeler of Greenfield district 6; H. B. Long of Clinton district 6; A. I. Kreisel of Lincoln district 7; Chris Ohbendorf of Boonville district 8; George T. Scott Versailles district 8; Charles Morrison of West Planes district 14 and W. S. Miller of St. James district 16.

The M. F. A. passed a resolution before convening which gave town people the right to become affiliated with the organization without the right to vote. Those members would be known as associate consumer members.

Earlier in the afternoon Frank H. Wielandy former state and game commissioner of St. Louis told members of the convention the value conservation of wild life and its relation to better farming in Missouri.

Wielandy said it was the duty of farmers and other residents of the state to leave something for future generations and this could only be done through the conservation program.

Commenting on the CCC the former commissioner said it had proved a great thing for the state in two ways namely preserving the forests and taking boys off the streets.

Referring to birds and their importance in the lives of the farmers, Wielandy said that should all birds in the world be destroyed, all humans would be dead in ten years.

Fred Brenckman, national secretary of The Grange in Washington D. C. in a general talk before delegates of the association outlined activities in Washington in relation to farm legislation.

Referring to the early days of Roosevelt farm legislation Brenckman said Roosevelt faced the biggest problem that ever confronted a president outside of Lincoln. He said that the NRA brought relief to the United States and was intended as a help to small industries.

Stress Cooperation.

Principal speakers at the morning session today of the Missouri Farmers' Association stressed the importance and the necessity for more members in the organization.

The first speaker on the program introduced by E. C. Lane, president of the Association, was John Cook manager of the Producers' Produce Company at Chillicothe who told those gathered at the state fair coliseum the value of cooperative institutions to the farmers in Missouri.

He warned the farmers that unless they changed the quality of their dairy products in the near future they would find themselves without an outlet for their product.

He said it was a deplorable situation when out-of-state inspectors had to come into Missouri and demand that the cream and butter situation be cleaned up.

F. V. Heinkel, vice- president of the Missouri Farmers' Association, in a speech outlining the progress of farmers not only in the United States but foreign countries, told those present that the farm situation had changed a great deal in the last decade and that farmers now was associated with the large scale production and commercialization and that the day of individual farmers was over and must band together or be lost.

Heinkel said in Denmark fifty per cent of all business was done by cooperatives and in Sweden nearly forty per cent. In America the farmer must do this through the M. F. A.

In a fiery speech calling for the M. F. A. to do their part in building up the enrollment of the W. P. F. A. the president of the Women's auxiliary organization, announced that either there were a great many bachelors in the M. F. A. or they worked their wives so long and hard that they were unable to join the W. P. F. A.

Insist Wives Join

Announcing that there were only 97 new members in the W. P. F. A. after an extensive drive this year, Mrs. May demanded that if a farmers family was going to be a hundred per cent behind the M. F. A. the wives of the members must belong to the W. P. F. A. She said that at the present time the group was only about one fifth the size of the men's Association.

Introduced by William Hirth, state Senator W. E. Freeland of Taney County, told the Association in the morning session that it was the duty of the M. F. A. to back all legislation that would save the taxpayers and that he was glad to serve the organization in any economy drive that would eliminate waste of state funds.

Already the farmers have supported wholesome legislation and seen that it was enacted in Jefferson City but that from time to time repeals had erased much of the good work and that it was time for the farmers to build up their forces and see that economy acts were passed and kept a Missouri law.

He warned the farmers of Missouri to be careful in their selection of lawmakers to represent them at the state capital.

Mrs. W. A. Beal, state secretary of the Women's Progressive Association and M. M. McKee, field man for the M. F. A., addressed the session today and concluded the morning program.

M. P. F. A. Elects Officers

Mrs. C. Abbey Leavitt May was elected president of the M. P. F. A. during the groups afternoon session Tuesday. Mrs. Elma Finley was named vice president.

Other officers elected were:

The M. P. F. A. in its morning meeting Tuesday heard Mrs. Warren Agee state vice president discuss "power."

In part Mrs. Agee said:

"Power is something that helps us to make progress. The M. F. A. organization should have lots of power, and able to fight anything.

Put power behind your leaders. Don't wait for a chance for yourself, make a chance of your own."

Mrs. C. D. Barton gave a review of the crippled children's program in Benton county.

William Hirth of Columbia also spoke to the delegates.

Hirth stressed the importance of building the J. F. A. in the right way. Give the young people a chance to show what they are best fitted for. Must make J. F. A. mean more happiness, and have right kind of entertainment.

"It is a wonder the farmers of this state have any hearts left, after all they have been through these last few years. The past period has been the most tragic in the history of farm life," he said.

"Through cooperation people have worked out the best civilized government ever known. The biggest struggle today is to maintain democracy."

"The womens clubs are progressing. This convention gives the best modern instruction of any farm club in the United States."

In discussing the children's home society, Miss Allie Jewell of St. Louis said:

"The main object of this organization is to find good homes for the children that are in this institution. Miss Jewell pleads with the women of this convention to consider taking some of these children in their home. Give them a real family in which to live.

There are several ways in which every member of the W. P. F. A. can help in the work of this home. You can supply food, clothing, and bedding. Clothing is the most important factor."

Address From Hirth.

C. E. Lane president of the Missouri Farmers' Association, William Hirth, former president of the association and Rep. Edward C. Eicher, Democrat of Iowa were the

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Hirth said that a few years ago the political bosses were afraid of the association and that the organization at one time had the power to push any wholesome legislation through the state senate and house and that in those days a farmer could take a lawmaker out behind the barn and tell him how they wished him to vote but that today the power was waning and that it was up to delegates of the convention to regain that power through better organization and management.

Commenting on the value of the association, Hirth recalled many laws passed in the state legislature which were sponsored by the group to keep taxes down. Hirth urged that each delegate return to their districts and enlist their neighbors into the association.

Lane told a packed coliseum earlier in the afternoon that 90 per cent of the farmers in the state were not members of the M. F. A. and it was the duty of those present to organize their districts and build the association into a stronger and more effective group.

Congressman Eiches Speaks.

Rep. Edward C. Eicher of Iowa, guest out-of-state speaker Monday afternoon told those at the afternoon session of the proposed farm legislation now pending at the natinal capital.

Eicher, giving a birds eye view of the proposed farm plan, said that through the secretary of agriculture a definite amount of a product would be determined for home consumption and an export surplus.

Using wheat as an example Eicher explained if a Missouri farmer had 1,000 bushels for market of which 80 per cent was established as the amount that would satisfy the U. S. demand, and the surplus for domestic sale, the remaining 20 per cent a farmer could take his wheat into a dealer and sell 80 per cent of his 1,000 bushels not under a minimum price based on a fair return under the interstate commerce. The farmer would receive a note for the remaining 20 per cent until the surplus was sold at foreign markets at what ever price it would bring. He also said the farmer would be able to borrow on the note.

Commenting on the AAA Eicher said he had voted for the plan only in a desperate attempt to help the farmer in those days of depression. He said that the plan would only temporarily aid the farmer and that a more stable program was needed.

The Stark quartette appeared again on the afternoon program. Group singing was under the leadership of Rev. A. C. Mackinney.

The main address on the evening program Monday night was given by John Crockett, D. D. "Bishop of the Ozarks", Point Lookout, Mo. Approximately 2,500 persons heard Dr. Crockett's address in the coliseum.

Music by the Forest Green M. F. A. band preceded Dr. Crockett's address and community singing interspersed the program throughout the evening.

A moving picture of the operations of the four big M. F. A. plants at Springfield—the Producers' Produce company, Producers' Creamery company, M. F. A. Milling company and the Farmers' Livestock Commission company—was shown.

W. P. F. A. MEETS

The W. P. F. A. convention in connection with the M. F. A. convention was called to order by Mrs. Abbitt Leavitt state president. This is the 16th convention. Mrs. Leawitt told briefly of the progress of the M. F. A.

Devotional was lead by Mrs. W. A. Beal.

Mrs. Will Barnes of Windsor, Mo., gave the address of welcome. "The object of conventions," Mrs. Barnes said, "is to come together to get new ideas and work out problems. It also serves as a pleasure. Hardships help to strengthen the character of the farm woman, and thereby make them stronger to their families.

A farmer must have power to regulate farm prices. Statistics show that only one-fourth of the people of the United States are farm producers, the rest are consumers. Unless farmers all over the United States work together they will not have very successful results. Each farmer must promote all the interest in farming he can.

"One important object in every community is to have superior leadership. You must have leaders who are worthy, intelligent and broadminded. In order to maintain a good local organization you must first put aside selfishness. There are three ideals which are necessary:

1. Putting things first that come first.
2. Putting what is right first, despite what people say.
3. Keeping ourselves and clubs above dispute."

Response was given by Mrs. I. F. Preston of Lockwood, Mo.

Mrs. Preston stated, "Farmers need knowledge. This is one reason for state conventions, so as to attain knowledge. Another important factor in a farmer's success is wit.

"Farmers have an opportunity, and must take it when it comes. A man must reach for what he needs. There is no profession where a woman is more important than in agriculture. Industry, manufacturing and agriculture make the world go around, and women play a large place in these industries.

"It is necessary to have farm organizations if you are going to have success. You have to look back in the past and make use of the knowledge of the past. It is necessary to build for the future, so as to make progress and have a place for coming generations."

Introduction of new counties in the M. F. A. since last year.

Secretary's report given by Mrs. W. A. Beal.

From August 20, 1936 to September 7, 1937.

Assets of M. F. A. organization:	
Cash on hand	$ 74.15
Cash in bank	2032.73
Total	$2106.88
Total current assetts	$3208.29
Fixed assetts	85.92

Profits from MFA cook books, MFA pins, record books, soap, plays, banners and dues.

MWFA has gained 300 new members in last year.

Report was accepted.

Mrs. Henry Dreier presents, Mrs. C. F. May, state president

Mrs. May expressed her pleasure of being the state president for the past year. She said that it was one of the fullest and most interesting years of her life. "Cooperation of the clubs in the state has been splendid. Despite drought and depression M. W. F. A. has gone forward and are meeting all obligations, giving loyal support to M. F. A. Main objects of M. W. F. A. are, better homes, better churches, better rural schools. No club is equal to the M. W. F. A. in ability of women.

"You cannot have a club without plans. Another essential of club work is leadership. You should always look for leaders. You cannot have too many. Remember that if by any chance you are appointed to an office, take it. Give good support to those who serve you. Give praise.

"Never overlook the value of sponsoring the J. F. A. No joy is equal to that of working with youngsters.

"Never let a member cease to be true to the principals of this organization.

This year may not have been all you wanted it to be, but keep the flame burning bright, and no circumstance or discouragement can make this flame die out."

Pep songs followed.

Texas county trio sang two songs: "I Miss My Dear Sweet Mother," and "My Old Mountain Home."

J. F. A. style show followed.

Address by Mrs. Ethel McLean, of Ozark, Mo., "Our Responsibility to Our Children."

"The first part in the foundation of raising a child, is the proper food, clothing, schooling and a good home. It is necessary to teach a child good manners.

"The kind of homes we have will determine what kind of a community we will have in years to come.

"The recreation that children have will prove what kind of government we will have.

"What is good citizenship?

"It is doing your part in the home, in school, church, community, and government. Teaching to obey the laws of the home, and laws outside of the home as well. Parents must be an example of what they want their children to be.

"Courtesy and manners make the home more pleasant. Parents should point out to children to get more pleasure out of life by doing acts of kindness. Have them play with the right kind of children and the right kind of games to play.

"Some marriages are not happy because they do not see the seriousness of it. You must be ready for the responsibility of a home and children. Train your children in such a way they will be able to take care of themselves.

"Money cannot buy happiness. This is an important factor to remember. Teach children to show their appreciation to the heavenly father for his food and earthly things.

Every child should be raised to be a Christian.

Honesty, sincerity and truthfulness are important in raising a Christian. If parents do this they have not shirked in their duty.

CENTENNIAL FOR DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

The program for the state centennial celebration of the Disciples of Christ, the Christian churches, to be held Wednesday to Sunday next week at Columbia, Mo., has been completed and committee in charge of the event are expecting a large crowd for the opening session Wednesday night.

Dr. Edgar DeWitt Jones of Detroit, president of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, and Dr. C. M. Chilton of St. Joseph, will be the speakers at the opening session, which will be held at the First church at Columbia.

A session of the Christian Women's Missionary Council will be held beginning at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, with Mrs. E. E. Elliott, presiding at the morning and afternoon sessions and Mrs. Ralph S. Latshaw of Kansas City in the chair for the night meeting. Rev. Guthrie S. Birkhead of Kansas City will preside over the meeting of the state missionary society Thursday morning and afternoon. Rev. A. W. Kokendoffer, of the First Christian church, of Sedalia, will preside at the evening session. Three sessions will be held Friday and Saturday.

Sunday, the closing day, is expected to draw the largest attendance, with officials in charge expecting 10,000 men, women and children to join in a communion service at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

James E. Nugent, teacher of the Men's Bible class of the Country Club Christian church, Kansas City, will teach a Bible class for all men at the meeting at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at the University of Missouri field house. At 11:30 o'clock, Dr. George Hamilton Combs, pastor of the Country Club church will preach the sermon at the field house service. The celebration will close at 4 o'clock.

A number from the First Christian and Broadway Christian churches are expecting to attend all or a part of the sessions of this convention.

Missouri Farmer's Association Resolutions

In this, the 21st annual convention of our Association we call the attention of our members and leaders to the fact that after a trial of more than 20 years the underlying soundness of the M. F. A. has demonstrated itself overwhelmingly, and it is today, as it has been during recent times, the outstanding state farm organization of the Country. In a statewide sense our savings in our various activities run into many millions of dollars, while the amount of these savings in a local sense depends entirely upon the alertness of the local boards of directors, the business ability of the local managers, and the strength of the local membership. Given these things an M. F. A. Elevator or Exchange is the most helpful cooperative unit ever developed in the Country, and thus if these agencies are not living up to their opportunities, the fault lies with our local leaders. A stream cannot rise above its source, and likewise no cooperative agency can be more successful than the local boards, managers and other local influences make it, and thus in this respect the cooperative movement challenges the ability of the farmers of a community to work out their own destiny. If we are not able to measure up to these responsibilities, then we have little cause to complain because we do not get economic and political justice, for God helps those who help themselves.

What is imperatively needed in many communities is a rebuilding of the membership as close to 100% of all the farmers as possible, for backed by such a membership all our Elevators and Exchanges will be able to pay a handsome dividend at the year's end, and if the present managers are not capable business men, or men who believe heart and soul in the M. F. A., then after a powerful membership has been built new and more capable managers should be employed. Let us ever bear in mind that we get out of the M. F. A. what we ourselves put into it.

As we have pointed out on previous occasions, the only chance we have to remain in the picture on eggs in the great Eastern markets is to produce eggs of superior quality, for with the Eastern states rapidly increasing production, and making quality their first objective, the day of "mine-run eggs" is forever over, and thus whether the poultry products of our State shall yield a profit in times to come lies in the hands of our farmers; if they go on the theory that to produce quality eggs is "too much trouble," then the sooner they curtail production to their family needs, the less their losses will be.

We submit that the manner in which the private truckers are delivering the livestock of our members direct to the packers, or to whatever private commission companies they desire, is a situation that challenges the intelligence of the said members. Before the truckers appeared in the picture, we were operating more than 300 flourishing livestock shipping associations which handled the lion's share of the livestock in their communities, and not only did these associations give us a very definite price influence at the stockyards, but each year our members received many thousands of dollars in earnings from the Farmers Livestock Commission Company, and at South St. Joseph, and in order to restore this lost power and lost earnings we recommend the appointment wherever possible of an outstanding livestock shipping manager in each county, whose purpose it shall be to obtain control of 100% of the movement of livestock from their counties as nearly as possible, and then if we do not operate our own trucking service, contracts should be made with responsible private truckers to deliver the livestock of our members to our own cooperative firms at the National Stock Yards, and at South St. Joseph and Kansas City. This is another situation which challenges the ability of farmers to manage their own affairs.

It is with deep humiliation and regret that we have witnessed the destruction by the last two Legislatures of much of the fine tax-saving measures sponsored by our Committee on Taxation and Governmental Reform in the session of 1933, and this is another instance which shows the crying necessity of building a membership in each county that Representatives and rural State Senators dare not ignore. In these premises we suggest once more that the directors of our State Association initiate a tax reform campaign, for no other agency in Missouri is in so commanding a position to successfully lead a movement of this kind.

Since the marketing of eggs and poultry is a statewide problem, that calls for a statewide policy, we hereby ask that at their next annual meetings the stockholders of our various Central Plants vote to invest control of these plants in the Executive Committee of our Association as to the managers to be employed, and the general policies to be adopted. Because our Association has frequently been ignored in these premises has wrecked several of our Central Plants with losses of many thousands of dollars to our members, and, therefore, it is high time that we were employing common sense in this matter.

During recent years the labor unions of our state have increasingly protested against the use of prison labor in the manufacture of merchandise, with the result that such labor has been completely withdrawn from this field, and our Association has no protest to offer in this respect. We submit, however, that if it is unfair to permit prison labor to compete with the labor of law abiding citizens, then it is equally unfair to the farmers of Missouri when the prison authorities buy or lease a large acreage of fertile bottom lands to produce food for the thousands of prison inmates, and this policy can be understood only upon the theory that our farmers have not heretofore demanded the same treatment that has been freely conceded to labor. We realize that the prisoners are human beings, and that the prison authorities are dealing with a difficult situation, but we trust they will give consideration to employing prisoners in the improvement of our dirt roads, and in crushing limestone which many of our farmers need, and in other practical fields, and in order to see what can be worked out along these lines we suggest an early conference between our Executive Committee and the Prison Board.

With more than 100,000 miles of dirt roads in Missouri, and with no funds in sight to improve these roads, we submit that the farmers of our State who have for years paid the gasoline tax and motor vehicle licenses have not received fair consideration in road improvement. We hereby instruct our Executive Committee to see what can be done about this matter, and to invite the co-operation of County Court Judges, road commissioners, rural mail carriers and all others who are interested in our common dirt roads.

For many years our Central Produce Plants and our local Exchanges and Elevators have been operating under a companion contract whereby the local agencies guaranteed to patronize the Central Plants 100%, and time has proven this to be one of the greatest mutual assets of the agencies concerned, as well as to our members. We believe it as imperative and as advantageous for our local agencies to buy together as it is to sell their produce collectively and, therefore, we recommend the early preparation of a companion purchasing contract to be put into effect between the local Exchanges and Elevators and the M. F. A. Purchasing Department or the M. F. A. Milling Company. Under this contract these local agencies should agree to purchase M. F. A. commodities exclusively from the Central agencies provided by the Association for this purpose, and thus increase our buying power to the maximum, meanwhile believing that we cannot hope to maintain a loyal membership unless our own agencies set the example for them and make available our own commodities at all times.

During recent years many of our local Exchanges throughout the state have begun to handle groceries, gasoline, oil, tires and other items of merchandise that are purchased and used by those who reside in the towns as well as those who live upon the farm, and there should be a mutual advantage in buying such merchandise collectively on a co-operative basis. We therefore affirm the action taken by this convention in so amending our by-laws to permit the acceptance of associate or consumer memberships, without voting power, of those who live in the twons, such memberships to permit the sharing of any patronage dividends with those who live in the towns in proportion to their purchases in return for their support and patronage.

Speaking in the wider field of agriculture, we condemn without reservation the "Nationalization" as was attempted in the Legislatures of the states during the recent winter, and which seeks to place the farmers of the Country at the mercy of a great bureaucracy in Washington, which bureaucracy will tell them how to sow and reap, and which threatens to hale them into court, and subject them to heavy fines, if they fail to obey the orders of these federal hirelings. If the time should ever come when it is deemed necessary to deprive farmers of the United States of the rights of free citizens to save agriculture, then it is profoundly doubtful whether the price of such salvation will be worth what it costs.

In this connection, we hereby express our continued faith in the federal Constitution, and the continued independence of the three great- co-ordinate branches of the federal government, which during the last 150 years have made ours the greatest and best government in the World; and especially do we profoundly warn the American people against those who would "make our Country over" in this hour when dictators make playthings of the governments of Europe. That our government has always been ideally conducted no one will contend, and so long as human selfishness exists, no government will be perfect, but so long as our citizens remain free moral agents, and have a free ballot through which they can express themselves, they have the power to correct abuses, and this is all the people of any country can desire. We do not believe that there is anything that needs to be done in the United States that cannot be done within the Constitution that is the product of the wisest and most patriotic men who ever labored in the cause of human right.

With reference to a new farm bill, while the various measures of the administration have been helpful, they do not constitute a solution of the troubled farm question. What we demand is not "shots in the arm" out of the federal treasury, but a measure that will preserve the American market for the American farmer, and that will permanently assure our farmers a fair price in the home market, and to this end we stand ready to do whatever may be necessary to segregate the various farm surpluses. In other words, we want the same treatment from Congress that it gives to industry and labor, and less than this not only means the certain and final collapse of agriculture, but the eventual collapse of industry and labor which in the last analysis are dependent on the farmers' purchasing power.

We deeply sympathize with the just rights of labor, and the principle of collective bargaining, but we unreservedly denounce methods which ruthlessly trample underfoot the rights of private property to obtain its ends, for in such a premise labor cannot right a wrong either real or imaginary by committing a greater one.

We hereby ask the Congressmen of our State to vigorously oppose the adoption of the bill which is now pending before the Interstate Commerce Committee of the National House of Representatives, and which seeks to limit the length of freight trains to 70 cars. We believe that the real purpose of this bill is not to promote public safety, but to force the railroads to employ more trainmen, and at a time when the railroads are fighting to exist this is not fair. In times of heavy grain movements the railroads should be left free to haul long trains in order to avoid congestion at country shipping points, and also that livestock should be kept waiting in local stock pens until a train comes along with less than 70 cars is an unreasonable condition to impose upon farmers, and thus in these premises regard for the farmers' rights, and that of other shippers, should have first consideration. Also if it is true that the enactment of this bill will increase the yearly operating expense of the railroads to the extent of $100,000,000, then this added burden will eventually mean high freight rates which will chiefly come out of the farmer's pocket, for unlike most other shippers and industries we are unable to reflect our transportation costs in a higher price of farm products. Therefore, we cordially join the Grange and the livestock shipping organizations of the West in asking for the defeat of this unfair measure.

Once more we commend the ladies of the W. P. F. A. for the increasingly wonderful work they are doing not only for a better happier rural life, but for the inestimable support they are giving us in making the M. F. A. a better and greater organization. In no other organization in the Nation are the men and women of the farm doing such splendid teamwork as in the M. F. A. and W. P. F. A., and what we have accomplished in the past is rich with promise of what we can do in the future. The heart of agriculture is in our farm homes, and thus the ladies of the W. P. F. A. play a part that is fundamental to a better and happier social and economic rural life in the coming years.

We also commend the wonderful work of the J. F. A. whose members will become the farmers and farmers' wives of tomorrow, and we deeply resent any effort on the part of outside influences to proselyte the members of this splendid organization, for a self reliant agriculture in the days to come depends not merely upon feeding pigs and calves, but upon giving the boys and girls of the farm the broadest and most wholesome outlook upon life, and teaching them to know their social and economic rights, and to fight for them. It is from the ranks of the J. F. A. that we must recruit the M. F. A. and W. P. F. A. leaders of tomorrow, and thus we must strive to encourage the J. F. A. in every way, and to introduce it into every community.

M. P. F. A., Resolutions.

1. Be it resolved that we express our thanks to our creator for his goodness in permitting us to assemble again in this 16th annual convention. That we also give our thanks for the bountiful harvest of this summer.

2. That we again urge our members to buy and sell thru our own marketing institutions.

3. That we fully appreciate the untiring labors of our great M. F. A. leader, Mr. William Hirth, and our beloved president, Mr. C. E. Lane.

4. That we commend our very efficient W. P. F. A. president, Mrs. C. F. May for her successful leadership during the past year, also the Board of Directors for their earnest endeavors in behalf of our organization.

5. That we as an organization realize the efforts and labor put forth by our M. F. A., W. P. F. A. and J. F. A. leaders throughout the state and that we pledge ourselves anew to their support.

6. That each official Board member and employee of the Missouri Farmers Association and the Women's Progressive Farmers Association and their respective husbands and wives shall be 100 per cent loyal to the organization, its principals and institutions.

7. That we go on record as an organization of farm women favoring peaceful methods of settling all international differences.

8. That we realize the savings in taxes and governments expenses which have been effected through the legislature efforts of the Missouri Farmers Association and the W. P. F. A. and hope that these benefits will be realized and sufficiently appreciated by the farm men and women throughout the state, that those who do not now belong to our associations will join our ranks without delay, so that even greater benefits may be achieved by our united efforts.

9. As this convention comes to a close we ask that each member return to her home resolving to make next year a bigger and better year for our organization in her own community, thereby, building a stronger state organization.

MRS. ELMA TINSLEY,
MRS. HENRY DREIER,
MRS. W. R. WATSON.

GOOD YEAR AT FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

The fourth quarterly conference at the First M. E. Church for this conference was held last Friday night, in which various reports were given, showing what progess had been made during the year. The pastor, the Rev. Quincy R. Wright was invited to return for another year. He will leave for the annual conference which meets in the Grand Avenue Temple in Kansas City this afternoon and will be in attendance during the week, but will return for the preaching service next Sunday morning.

His report to the conference shows that there has been paid for all benevolence purposes $1,714, for building and interest $5,739 and toward the local budget $5,010 or a grand total of $12,463. The month of October will be observed as Loyalty Month, and the first Sunday will be known as Rally and Loyalty Day. The second Sunday morning the Holy Communion will be observed. Mrs. Irwin Raut will lead the Mid-Week service this week in the absence of the pastor, O. E. Palmer will preside at the annual meeting of the Sunday School Board next Friday night at 7:30. Election of officers will take place.

MRS. FORBES DIES AT HUGHESVILLE

Mrs. Elsie Forbes, 52, died at her home in Hughesville at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning following a lingering illness. Mrs. Forbes had been a resident of Pettis county all her life.

She is survived by her husband, C. E. Forbes, four daughters, Mrs. Fern Thomas of Hughesville, Mrs. Opal Houchen, Independence, Thelma Forbes and Hazel Forbes of the home; two sons, Carl Forbes and LaVern Forbes of Minnesota; and four sisters, Mrs. Herbert Beach of Knob Noster, Mrs. J. W. Hansbrough, LaMonte; Mrs. Leonard Fall, Beaman, and Mrs. Frank Ellis of Oakland, Iowa.

HENRICH MEYER OF COLE CAMP DIES

Henrich Meyer was born September 18, 1867 at Lake Creek, Mo., and departed this life at his home in Cole Camp, Mo., September 19, 1937 at 9:35 P. M. He was the son of Jos. and Margaret Schnakingberg Meyer. He attained the age of 80 years.

He was married to Anna Brunjes. This union was blessed with seven children.

He is survived by his widow and seven children George, Gottlieb, of Lincoln, Mo., Miss Mabel of Cole Camp, Mo., Edwin of Orange, Cal., Rev. Arthur Meyer of Houston, Texas and Margaret, Mrs. J. J. Hesse of Lincoln, Mo., seventeen grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

MISS RUTH GLAZEBROOK TO UNIVERSITY FACULTY

Miss Ruth Glazebrook, Longwood, has been appointed an assistant factulty member of the Laboratory schools at the University of Missouri, according to an announcement made Tuesday. Miss Glazebrook has been approved by the Executive Board, President of the University, Frederick A. Middlebush, stated.

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